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# **FOREWORD**

An Old Man's Thought of School  
And you America,  
Cast you the real reckoning for your present?  
The lights and shadows of your future, good or evil?  
To girlhood, boyhood look, the teacher and the school.  
Walt Whitman

In the words of the poet Walt Whitman, lights and shadows loom in the future for the students. The annual staff believes that the school life of the student also exists in the glow and reflection of lights and shadows. Thus, we have based the year book on the theme of light, using glimmers, spotlights, glows, flames, flickers, and flares to present the record of 1960-61.

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GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN**

# DEDICATION

The yearbook staff of 1961 wishes to present this HELIOS ANNUAL to our Assistant Principal, who, after 12 years at Central High School and 43 years with the Grand Rapids School System, is retiring. We are grateful for his assistance in school administration, his aid in organizing club activities, his help with student problems, and his counsel on special projects. Our Assistant Principal is often seen visiting different classrooms or talking with a passing student in the hall. His good nature and sense of humor have made him a friend of all Centralites.

Yes, we, the students of Central, will long remember your guidance and counsel, your cooperation and interest in our activities. Therefore, we are proud to present this annual to you, MR. HENRY LUDWICK.





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# ADMINISTRATION

The constant glow of the administration throughout the year has effected all students. Decisions made by the principals have influenced everyone and have remained a glow among the coals even if sometimes unnoticed. Office help such as the clerks have provide a sheen to the school and have carried on much of the mechanical duties, thus relieving others. The warmth of the counselors has helped many students through trying times or with problems. Our custodians have provided everyone with steady comfort in the school and classrooms while the cooks have refreshed students and teachers alike with sparkling food for lunches. The faculty provides a constant beam of knowledge and cast much light on the students' learning.







# ADMINISTRATION



Central's principal, Mr. Romani, is kept very busy with his heavy load of responsibilities. A few of Mr. Romani's responsibilities and duties are as follows: managing Central and supervising its activities, arranging class schedules, acting as co-ordinator among students, faculty, and community representatives, supervising inter-school projects, making and enforcing school rules and codes, overseeing scholastic activities, advising teachers and students, and presenting awards at the Spring Honors Assembly. Besides his regular duties, this year Mr. Romani was confronted with many new changes which brought a few complaints. Helping Mr. Romani is his secretary, Sharron Winters, who takes care of much of the technical and mechanical work.



Mr. Ludwick, Central's friendly and cheerful assistant principal, is also kept busy with many jobs and duties. He assists the principal in dealing with students' problems, and he assists in many technical points such as scheduling and supervising business or special projects of student organizations taking place in the building. Also included in Mr. Ludwick's duties are supervision of evening activities and class visitations, and taking charge of such items as the building in Mr. Romani's absence, meeting and orienting student teachers, and co-ordinating the in-service education student teachers, and coordinating the in-service education program. Mr. Ludwick's secretary Margaret Welmerink helps him with the office work.



This year, we have three counselors, Mr. Ritsma working with the seventh and eighth grades, Mr. Perrin the ninth and tenth, and Miss Meyering the eleventh and twelfth. Mr. Perrin, besides counseling the ninth and tenth grades, is the head counselor which requires him to assist the other counselors and co-ordinate their work. Much of the work done by the counselors is similar only each works with different grade levels. In helping the ninth and tenth grader, Mr. Perrin is responsible for the supervision of such standardized test as the Iowa Test, programing, counseling with either personal or academic problems, guiding in choice of college or occupation.

Counseling the eleventh and twelfth graders, Miss Meyering has many varied duties in helping students develop to the greatest of their ability and gain a self understanding. Her main duties are counseling, giving educational information, and programing. However, she has many other duties which include the following: giving vocational information, placing students in business or in colleges, giving personal counsel, testing, and taking charge of scholarships.

Mr. Ritsma, the seventh and eighth grade counselor, is very active with his job. Contacting the sixth grade of the feeder schools each spring, orienting, the sixth graders by having them visit Central and through the Big Brother-Big Sister Club, enrolling the seventh graders and new students and helping them make adjustments, and programing for Senior High with the assistance of parentt conferences are several of Mr. Ritsma's duties.

Another new addition this year is a full time personnel clerk who is Mrs. Nelson. She assists all three counselors by taking calls, scheduling appointments, filing, and helping with general secretarial work.

## COUNSELING STAFF

Wesley Perrin  
— Head Counselor



Lucille Meyering  
— Counselor



Albert Ritsema  
— Counselor



Mrs. Dora Nelson  
— Personnel Clerk





Mrs. Woodlock is in charge of handling the truancy cases. This year, with the many changes, the system has been made more efficient. Assisting Mrs. Woodlock is Mrs. Keegstra, the attendance clerk, who keeps the attendance records and directs the technical office work. She checks the absences by phone and supervises the many "runners" who collect the absence slips each hour.

Nancy Dare



# TEACHERS



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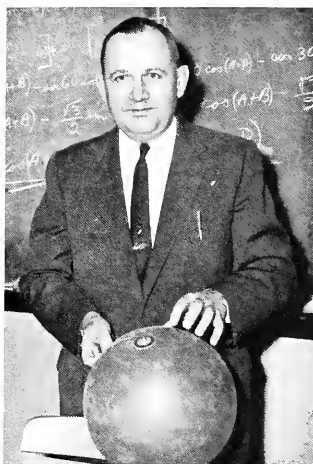
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Mr. Cleveland and his wife enjoy themselves while attending the annual "Boy's Heaven Dance".



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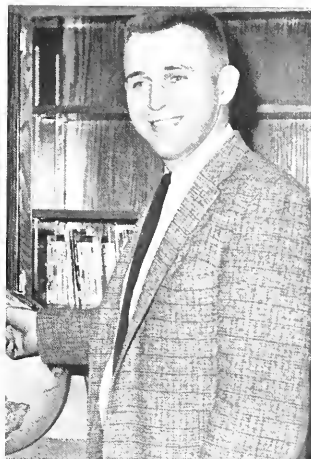


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Mr. Posthumus enters a dance. Did you check his I.D. card girls?



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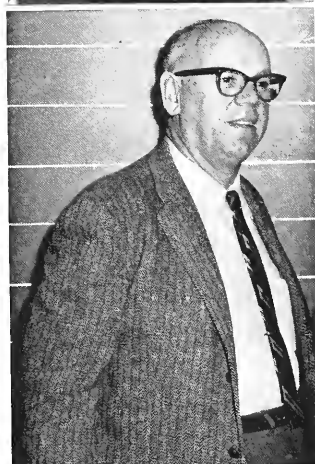
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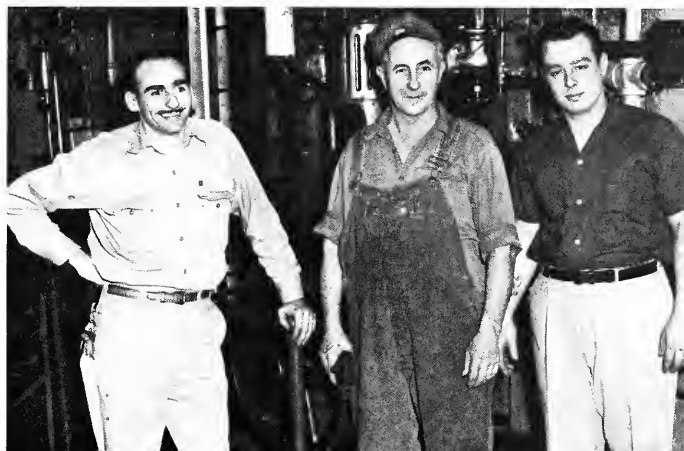
In spite of changes and the new three lunch periods, the kitchen staff has still managed to work efficiently to feed its patronizers. The cafeteria operates smoothly during the noon hours and is aided by students who sell items and work the cash registers. Included among the staff's duties are preparing the lunch hour meals, helping keep order in the cafeteria, and cleaning up after the noon hour. Also, the staff provides help to organizations that use the cafeteria at night.



**Custodians:** 1st Row: B. Par-meter, A. Budnick, R. Murphy  
2nd Row: B. Young, D. Corstange, L. Mesnard.

## MAINTENANCE

This maintenance staff composed of a fireman, an engineer, and janitors, kept Central in good condition throughout the year. The responsibilities of the maintenance staff are as follows: cleaning rooms and halls, taking care of the school yard, checking the lights, heating the school, receiving department supplies and delivering them to the various teachers throughout the building, and doing repair jobs.



**Engineers:** Nick Callis, Bill Wompa, Blaine Lusk.

# ORGANIZATIONS

We have a great variety of clubs or organizations most of which are open to any interested persons. At different times of the year, various clubs seemed to be in the spotlight or the limelight, but each club was important to its own members in particular. Each has cast shadows or influence which will be invaluable in the future. Organizations not only provided the opportunity for high school students to join together for social contacts, but they also gave service, developed leadership, and helped make well rounded individuals.





The purpose of the Senior High Student Council is to promote cooperation, to raise morale, to sponsor activities, and to serve as a means of communication. This very active club sponsored the annual Homecoming Dance and Boys' Heaven. The members also have had charge of the hall monitoring system, the issuing of identification cards, and club charters, in addition to money-making projects such as food sales. Mrs. Holmes is the sponsor of this important organization.



## SENIOR HIGH STUDENT COUNCIL

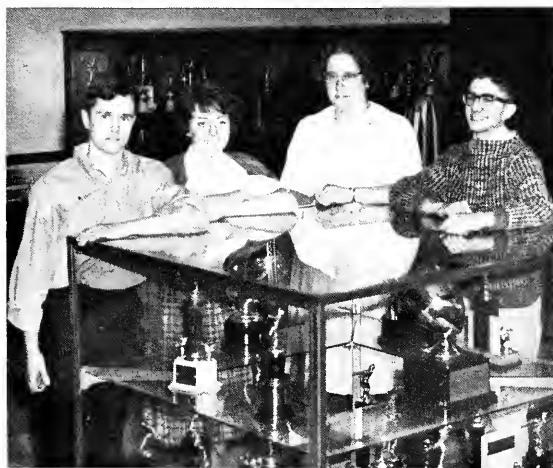


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1st Row: B. Van Artsen, C. Vaughn, M. Klunder, T. Gilner, G. Gazella. 2nd Row: J. Magnusen, J. Wong, S. Allen, C. Tobin, C. Burton, J. Snyder, E. Drew, E. Koukios. 3rd Row: D. Ripmaster, G. Thomas, S. Kloet, H. Inclinoek, S. Nesbitt, M. Gravelyn, N. Woltring, M. Wunsch. 4th Row: S. Mayfield, J. Devlin, P. Kloet, R. Jones, S. Myers, R. Rosema, C. Maddock, B. Barber.

## JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT COUNCIL JUNIOR HIGH RED CROSS



Officers: H. Inklemrock, treas.; N. Woltring, secretary; S. Myers, vice-pres., E. Koukios, pres.



Jr. Red Cross Officers: Sec.-Treas., C. Burton; Pres., M. Crabb; Vice-Pres., B. Van Aartsen.



R. Kuiper, R. VanOosten, G. Haskins, L. Hubka, M. Vermaire, V. Klavins, B. Jorgensen, L. Jenks, M. Johnson, J. Jones, M. Stephens, B. Wittenbach, I. Arins, N. Dare, P. Johnson, H. Peegle, I. Silvas, D. DeVries, G. Dzeguse, L. Van Sweden, M. Straumanis, E. Van Sweden, L. Celmins, J. Zehe.

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society is an organization honoring select, outstanding high school students. This year, under the co-sponsorship of Miss Clarke and Miss Schriber, the members managed the Lost and Found Department in the office and have completed teacher's name cards for classroom doors. The purpose of the National Honor Society, a local chapter of a national organization, is to recognize the outstanding achievements of Central students. Members are elected on the basis of character, scholarship, leadership, and service. Officers for the first semester were president, Gordon Hasking; vice-president, Jeff Zehe; secretary, Beth Wittenbach; and treasurer, Lois Van Sweden. Officers for the second semester were president, Latvís Celmins; vice-president, Maris Straumanis; secretary, Inguna Silavs; and treasurer, Bruce Jorgensen.



# DEBATE

This year, Debate has once again played an active and important part in representing Central. During the year, the debaters participated in three city league tournaments. Also, debate meets were held from 4:00 to 5:30 along with a supper held at the host's school. In the State League Tournament, Central met Lansing, Big Rapids, Grand Haven, and Muskegon Catholic Central. The purpose of debate is to help promote an interest in speech and discussion. This year, Miss DeYoung sponsored the Debate team. The officers were Linda Hubka, president; and Latvís Celmins, treasurer.



Debate: 1st Row: L. Celmins, K. Grooters, L. Hubka, M. Straumanis. 2nd Row: C. Martinez, K. Hordesty, D. Badrick, A. Lapins



1st Row: N. Gunton, L. Samuelson, L. Jenks, M. Johnson, E. Van Sweden, M. Meyers, B. Sholley. 2nd Row: P. Voigt, N. Dare, V. Purins, D. Wiley, J. Nixon, L. Witcop, K. Hansan, M. Straumanis, L. Celmins.

## RAMS' REVIEW

Miss Schriber, Nancy Gunton, and Lois Jenks work to meet a deadline.



Central High School's newspaper, the RAMS' REVIEW, acts as a means of communication between students of all grades. The RAMS' REVIEW is a very interesting and informative little paper. It keeps tabs on all current events, opportunities open to students, top personalities, and achievements. Besides publishing a paper, the staff learns to cooperate with each other by combining various ideas successfully. They become acquainted with the problems of leadership by holding positions of responsibilities on the staff. With Miss Schriber as sponsor, the staff worked every sixth hour and many hours after school to put out the paper. Given out with the paper was the ROTO publication.

# ENGLISH WORKSHOP

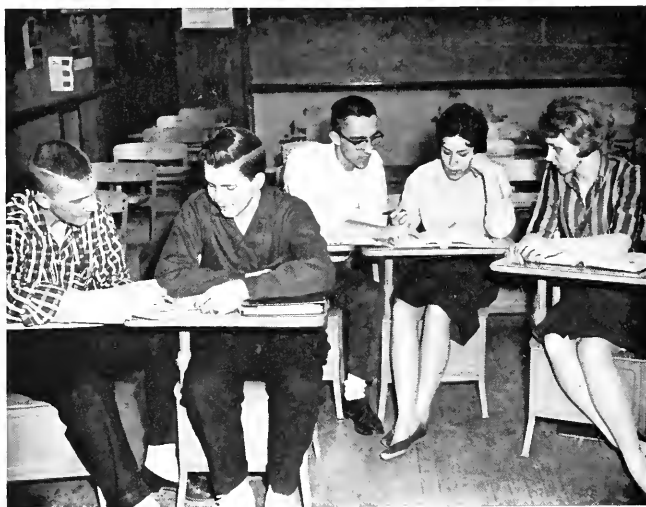
The main purpose of the English Workshop is to promote a better understanding of the English language to the students who need some assistance and to aid students who have problems in any phase of English throughout the year. Senior high students who possess a good average in English sacrifice their study hall in order to help out their fellow students. Experience in Workshop develops qualities in the helpers which will be of great importance in their future years. This year the English workshop, under the direction of Miss Clarke, was open the sixth hour. The helpers received certificates at the Spring Honors Assembly.

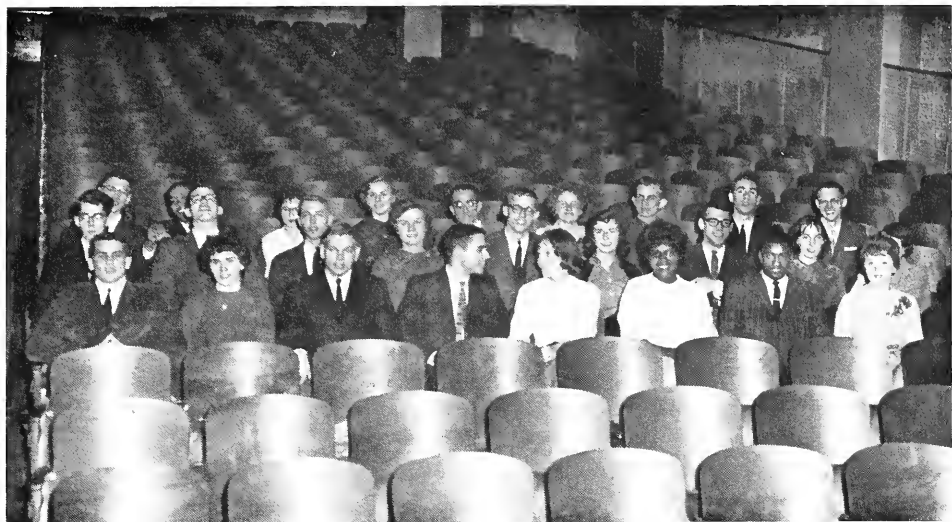




## MATH WORKSHOP

The purpose of Math Workshop is to help students with mathematic problems, including anything from arithmetic to trigonometry. This year the workshop was located in room 114 under Mr. Arndt's supervision during the fifth hour. Students receive help in mathematics from student helpers chosen by Mr. Arndt. These helpers must have a *B* average in math. At the end of the year, they receive certificates in the Honor Assembly for their assistance.

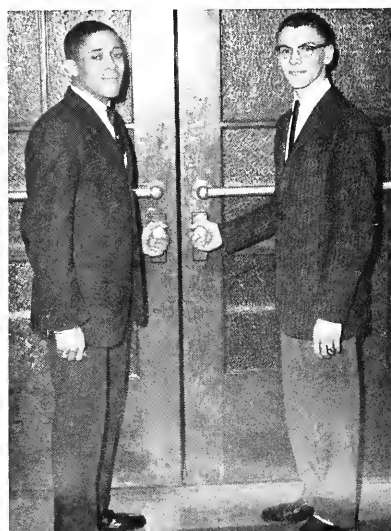




1st Row: D. Quint, P. Fuller, L. Witcop, I. Arins, M. Stephens, L. Jenks, L. Hubko, B. Afton, R. Wilson. 2nd Row: J. Bachman, D. Atwell, R. Kuiper, G. Haskins, H. Peeple, J. Jones, M. Brunett, D. DeVries. 3rd Row: M. Bowman, M. Baker, J. Sanders, M. Vermaire, T. Gravelyn, T. Swiger, B. Wittenbach, S. Hula. Head Ushers, Roy E. Wilson, Jr. and Bob Afton.

## SENIOR HIGH USHERS

The Senior High Ushers are a group selected in the spring from each Junior Class on the basis of their scholastic record, leadership, and general attitude. They first ushered at the Numeral Day Ceremony while they were Juniors. After that, they ushered at the Class Night and Class Day performances. In their Senior year, they ushered at all the senior high assemblies, the Senior Play, and the Variety Show. The head ushers this year were Roy Wilson and Bob Afton. The group was sponsored by the senior class sponsor, Miss Chapman.



Roy E. Wilson, Jr.

Robert Harold Afton

# JUNIOR HIGH USHERS

The Junior High has its own ushers since they have their own assemblies. These ushers operate exactly as the Senior High Ushers do. They chose to head their group Sandy Kloet and Judy Snyder, whose job it is to organize the other members. They also hold sales to raise money. These students are selected by their teachers because of their personalities, leadership, and scholarship. This year Mr. Van Aartsen sponsored the Junior High Ushers.

Judy Snyder, Sonly Kloet.



L. to R.: J. Snyder, S. Schroeder, J. Magunsen, E. Sampanes, N. Wotring, B. Porter, J. Bradfield, S. Kloet, S. Wallgren, D. Bush.

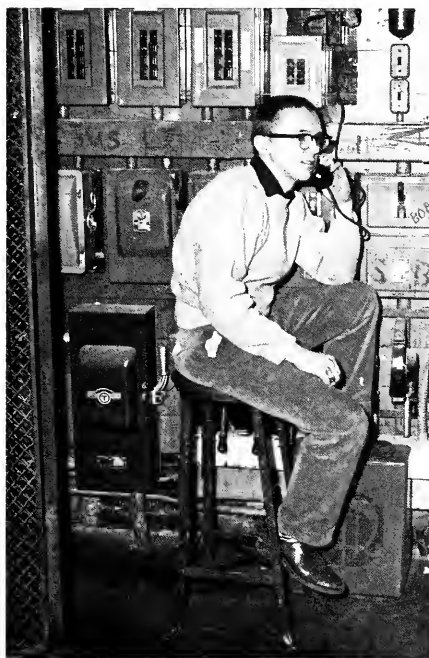


# STAGE CREW

This all important but often overlooked organization is most essential for all assemblies and stage productions. Among the chores of the stage crew are included setting up of props, adjusting of the lights, supervision of the sound, and manipulation of the curtains. These workers, "behind the scenes," are dedicated to the maintenance of good back-stage direction and are greatly appreciated by all groups in need of their service. Mr. Fillingham, as sponsor, supervises the stage crew and devotes many hours to help make more successful productions.



Bill  
Lapinski



Richard  
Dawson





Joanne Grachtrup, Roxanne Hord, Donna Brogdon, Petra Voigt, Captain Susie Russell, Judy Mertz.

## SENIOR CHEERLEADERS

The cheerleaders' chief purpose is to promote spirit at games, pep assemblies, and pep rallies with rousing cheers and chants on which they spend much time preparing. As a unique project this year, the girls worked at a gas station to earn money for their new uniforms. Also, they gave spreads for various other cheerleading squads before basketball games. Each year two girls from each grade in senior high are selected when try-outs are held in the spring. Captain this year was Sue Russell and sponsor, Miss De Young.





Martha Koukias, Judy Snyder, Karen Rybski, Meredith Wood, Ellen Drew, Susan Schiefler.

## JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS

### Junior Cheerleaders

Like the Senior Cheerleaders, these girls were present at all the games to root the Junior High teams on to victory. Likewise, they put on pep assemblies for the football, basketball, and track teams. These girls were chosen at the tryouts which are held every year. They are also used to replace any Senior cheerleader in case of emergency. Judy Snyder is the captain, and Miss Dodds is the sponsor.



1st Row: M. Hoebeke, J. Vasquez, B. Sholley, N. Seitz, J. Drew, B. Winters, P. Tunnclif, J. Mertz, L. Burr. 2nd Row: T. Arrak, L. Celmins, D. Brogdon, J. Gilner, S. Wagenaar, A. Alway, J. Surfies.

## AGONA CLUB

The Agona Club is made up entirely of girls who are selected juniors and seniors having at least a B average and one year's membership in C.A.A. Also, an outstanding Freshman girl who receives the Agona Cup may join in her Sophomore year. An informal initiation is held in school, and is followed by a formal initiation tea. The Agona Club helped needy families with baskets of food during holidays, sponsored Junior High dances, and had several sales this year. During the Honor Assembly, in addition to giving the Agona Cup, they awarded a scholarship for \$75.00 to a worthy senior to Junior College. They also presented the Tri-Honor Cup to an outstanding Senior girl. The officers were Margaret Vermaire, president; Marcia Johnson, vice-president; Nancy Gunton, secretary; Helen Peegeel, treasurer; and the sponsor is Miss Freeman.





1st Row: R. Kuiper, L. Samuelson, D. Badrick, M. Johnson, I. Arins, M. Bowman, H. Peegle, K. Vandermolen, L. Hubka. 2nd Row L. Stede, L. Jenks, P. Stoecker, B. Kerpe, L. Van Sweden, N. Dare, M. Dunn, B. Wittenbach, M. Woolf. 3rd Row: M. Vermaire, E. VanSweden, N. Gunton, B. Knight, I. Silavs, M. Swartz, J. Bachman, M. Crow, A. Burton, R. Arrison.



Officers: M. Vermaire, pres.; M. Johnson, vice-pres.; N. Gunton, secretary; H. Peegel, treas.



1st Row: C. Calvetti, P. Tunncliffe, S. Singer, C. Cogan, C. Martinez, C. Kazma. 2nd Row: J. Johnson, L. Celmins, A. Alway, J. Mertz, L. Burr, N. Seitz, P. Voigt. 3rd Row: D. Garnett, J. Brown, D. McGrath, J. Nixon, C. Apostle, S. Seitz B. Winter. 4th Row: D. Weekley, V. Arins, D. Keegstra, T. Sampanes, B. Barr, J. Otterbridge, K. Schagat, K. Bartholomew.

## BIG BROTHER-BIG SISTER

The purpose of the Big Brother Big Sister club is to help the new students in Central adjust to their classes and school routine. The members of this club conduct the sixth graders on a tour through school when they visit Central on Class Day. This year the club held an assembly for the seventh grade students for the purpose of answering their questions. Also, sales were held to raise money. This money is used to sponsor parties for the seventh grade and to be able to present a cup to an outstanding eighth grade boy in the Honors Assembly. The Big Brother Big Sister Club also had a workshop at different hours of the day in Mrs. Henry's room. Its purpose is to help the seventh grade students with their homework. Mrs. Henry sponsors the club.



Officers: President — D. Weekley, Vice-Pres. — C. Kazma, Treasurer — P. Tunncliffe, Secretary — C. Martinez

# SENIOR HIGH

## PEP CLUB

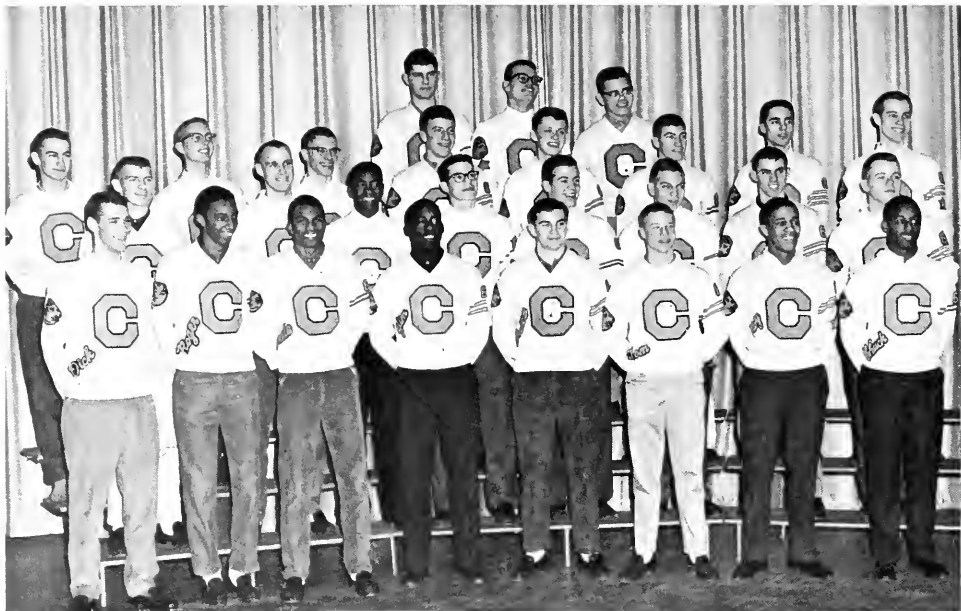
Officers: R. Wilson, pres.; S. Russell,  
Vice-pres.; G. Claytor, secretary; M.  
Baker, treas.



The purpose of the Pep Club is to build up spirit and enthusiasm. It accomplishes this by taking part in pep assemblies, keeping news on the All Sports Bulletin Board up to date, and by making signs and posters about the various games. The club has attended basketball games as a group to make a block of cheerers, has printed a newsletter distributed to create interest in the basketball team, and has made special signs for the gym for home games.

L to R, 1st Row: M. Baker, M. Spencer, R. Wilson. 2nd Row: S. Russell, T. Cleveland, J. Malfroid, J. Moore, M. Malfroid, N. Dale. 3rd Row: J. Vasquez, J. Gratchap, G. Claytor, M. Crabb, D. Brogdon, M. Woolf; R. Hord. 4th Row: L. McNeal, M. Vasquez, K. Green, J. Sanders, S. Meyrs, J. Crawford, S. Coleman, J. Mertz, P. Voigt.





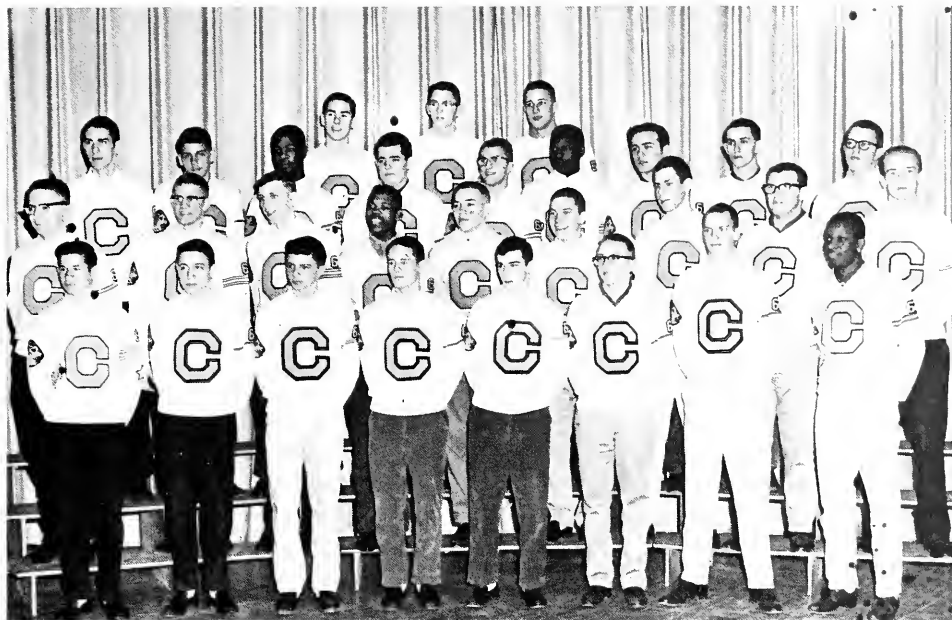
1st Row: D. Atwell, R. Weekley, D. Weekley, J. Otterbridge, B. Dusendang, T. Hoffman, R. Wilson, C. Holt. 2nd Row: L. Somers, J. Porter, M. Baker, M. Brunnet, F. Borr, T. Swiger, J. Covert, B. Weeber. 3rd Row: K. Schogat, J. Jones, B. Afton, R. Miller, W. Arins, R. Fyke, T. Gravelyn, D. Nelson. 4th Row: C. Matheson, T. Wickering, D. Berrevoets.

## C-CLUB



Officers: Pres. R. Wilson, Sg. of Arms B. Dusendang Treas. T. Gravelyn, Vice-Pres. R. Ryke, Sec. J. Covert

The C-Club, one of Central's most active clubs, is composed of senior high boys who have won a major letter in any one of Central's many sports. Always interested in the welfare of the school, the members follow the club's code very closely. The purpose of the C-Club is to establish a higher standard of athletics and to promote greater sportsmanship among teams and students at Central. This year a new camera and two new American flags were purchased for the school. Also, the annual C-Club - faculty game was sponsored by the C-Club. The officers were as follows: president, Roy Wilson; vice-president, Russell Fyke; secretary, Jim Covert; treasurer, Terry Gravelyn; sergeants-at-arms, Bruce Dusendang and Terry Wickering. The sponsor this year was Mr. Barr.



1st Row: R. Powers, K. Pierce, G. Swiger, D. Verbrugge, R. Bressler, C. Hogle, B. Thompson, J. Nixon.  
 2nd Row: G. Dzeguze, R. Vander Ark, L. Celmins, R. Brown, D. Keekstra, B. Johnson, D. McGraph,  
 C. Gooder, M. Straumanis.  
 3rd Row: M. Smith, D. Vedejs, A. Simpson, A. Wilder, B. Jorgensen, E. Jamison, J. Signor, H. Meyers,  
 D. Blower.  
 4th Row: P. Fuller, T. Gunn, E. Ripmaster.





# SENIOR BAND

The Senior Band supplies music for school activities and promotes an interest in music. The band is present at our football games, where it boosts spirit, and in assemblies throughout the year. Also, the band represents Central in parades and other community activities. In the fall, the band participated in Band Day at Ann Arbor, and in the spring it played in the Pops Concert. With Mr. Becker as sponsor this year, were the following officers: president, Dick Bressler; vice-president—treasurer, Bob VanderMeer; secretary, Nancy Wendlant.



Majorettes B. Colley, N. Wendlant, P. Plet, M. Stepke. Major — K. Schagat.





Officers N. Wendlandt, B. Vander Meer, R. Bressler.

1st Row: K. Shagart, J. Butler, N. Wendlant, P. Pletz, B. Stepke, B. Colley, Mr. Becker. 2nd Row: R. Peters, J. Van Houten, K. Pierce, B. Brown, J. Moore, J. Zee. 3rd Row: J. Koch, S. Wallgren, L. Vargoniue, D. Bogart, M. Johnson, P. DeVries, C. Maddocks. 4th Row: S. Hula, R. Barnes, G. Swiger, J. Huizing, V. Graham, J. Martineau. 5th Row: R. Bressler, D. DeVries, D. Barthelette, M. Meyer, L. Colombo, B. Anderson. 6th Row: D. Wilson, T. Gunderson, R. Romanowski, T. Celmins, B. VanderMeer, T. Good, L. Hicks. Flag Bearers: D. Jason, B. Layne.

## INTERMEDIATE BAND



Front Row: S. Quint, B. Laman, M. Hull, C. Davidson, N. Kingsnorth, P. Berquist, P. Dudley, M. Koukios, A. Sampanis, P. Hoeksema, L. Mann, D. Mitchell, R. Pahals, S. Hula. 2nd Row: C. Clubine, S. Schrader, B. Vaicius, E. Huizenga, C. Baughn, L. Hull. 3rd Row: M. Evert, A. Meader, N. Wilson, D. Van Houten, J. Jorgensen. 4th Row: D. Heeringa, H. Baker, J. Payne, P. Samuelson, P. Hayboer, J. Kaye, G. Gazella, R. Kohlenberger, C. Kleiboer. Trombones: M. McDonough, A. Hitchcock, D. Dupy, G. Thomas, J. Mustie. Drums: C. Wyma, R. Schiefler, C. Forsythe, B. Woolf, S. Lee, P. Swanson.



1st Row: B. Moore, E. Koukios, U. Wolf, G. Stamas, S. Lawson, G. Koopmans, P. Kopen. 2nd Row: R. Jones, P. Wildeboer, L. Evans, E. Densmore, D. DeVries, R. Bressler, M. Johnson, P. Stoeper, B. Anderson, G. Koch, L. Hicks, R. VanderArk, B. VanderMeer, C. Maddocks, S. Wollgreen, C. Barnwell, J. Zee. Standing: T. Gravelyn, N. Becker, J. Miore, B. Woolf.

## SENIOR ORCHESTRA

Senior orchestra is meant to be a cultural subject which gives instrumental students an opportunity to learn and study the music of the masters and more contemporary composers. Besides playing for the school at various activities throughout the year such as the Christmas assembly and the Spring Honors assembly, the orchestra members participate in community cultural activities. Some of these being the Grand Rapids Pop Concert, the Civic Theater, and the Grand Rapids Symphony. With Mr. Becker as sponsor, the officers for this year were president, Becky Moore and secretary-treasurer, Ruth Jones.

1st Row: J. Wong, S. Anderson, S. Castle, J. Earle, A. Barnes, L. DeBryan. 2nd Row: A. Hindal, S. Williams, D. Layjuess. 3rd Row: R. Billings, S. Stanley, C. Burgess. 4th Row: P. Steele, S. Blower, S. Quint, P. Dudley, M. Koukios, R. Colenberger, G. Gazella, C. Maddocks, J. Muste, D. Dupy, G. Thomas. Standing: R. Schiefeler, C. Wyma, D. White, J. Nunn, H. Palmer, B. VonderJact, R. Blanchard.





K. Prusinski, S. Ballee, M. Dirkma, M. Taylor, B. Grady, N. Wendlandt, N. Jones, S. Gilner, S. Barensen, B. Weekley, K. Pare. Missing from picture: M. Prusinski, J. Magnuson.

## GOLDEN GIRLS

The Drill Team is a new club in Central this year. The members provided interesting half-time entertainment at our football games by their drill formations. They also marched in various parades and had food sales to raise the funds needed for their other activities. The officers were president, Nancy Wendlandt; vice-president, Nancy Barensen; secretary, Ruth Hones; treasurer, Kathy Prusinski; sergeant-at-arms; Pat Wildeboer; and uniform captain, Marlene Prusinski. The sponsor of this new and interesting club is Mr. Becker.

## SWING BAND





1st Row: K. Hardsty, R. Wilson, F. Simons, B. Bricon, H. Wallace, B. Dusendang, J. Nogo, R. Powers, D. Badrick, M. Spencer, I. Bredikis, B. Colley. 2nd Row: L. Beard, M. Van Sweden, P. Scobey, R. Imick, L. Celmins, T. Arrak, N. Dupey, B. Weeber, B. MacDirmoid, A. Young, N. Hudson, J. Covey. 3rd Row: B. Wilson, S. Celemce, M. Pygral, J. Gildhoff.

## A CAPPELLA CHOIR

The major aim of the A Capella choir is to create a greater interest in the field of music. The choir presented many inspiring musical selections this year at Central's two traditional assemblies, the Armistic Day service and the Christmas Program. It also displayed its talent at the Vesper Service held at Christmas time at Fountain Street Church and in the Spring Concert. Mr. Schellenberger has worked hard directing and training the choir. The officers this year were Patty Johnson, president; Bruce Dusendang, vice-president; Linda Grooters, secretary; and Terry Wickering, treasurer. At the end of the year, all the seniors who had been in choir four semesters received choir pins.



M. Naughton, R. Curtis, T. Rybski, B. Merritt, H. Peegel. 4th Row: K. Vandermolen, M. Crow, L. Grooters, T. Ripmaster, M. Baker, J. Nink, T. Wickering, K. Barthlomew, C. Gooder, I. Silvas, D. Ringlod, P. Dubinshak, M. Swartz.



Officers: President — P. Johnson, vice-pres. — B. Dusendang, Secretary — L. Grooters Treasurer — T. Wickering



1st Row: F. Stewart, N. Vasquez, S. Shaw, N. Cole, D. Ringold, C. Daividsen, L. Darling, J. Boyd, S. Curtis, L. Mallette, J. Curtis, M. Kiropczyk, T. Plonk, L. Hitchcack, P. Riste. 2nd Row: M. Mick, M. Fraser, L. Pugh, D. Magone, E. Wnuk, R. Haldiman, D. Vincent, B. McNeil, G. Herringa, B. Martin, P. Plett, F. Mah, A. Rood, S. Orłowski, P. Swanson. 3rd Row: H. Dine, S. Ryke, A. Johnson, P. Mann, A. Jaffas, N. Huffman, M. Bent, S. Anderson, L. Vander Myn, J. Wong, S. Meyers, N. Kingsnorth, G. Immik, V. Mooney, N. Shaw, G. Beckwith, J. Ketchpaw

## JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS



Director

LaNelle B. Roman



Classical Club officers:  
L. Van Sweden, J. De  
Maagd, M. Johnson, D.  
Wiley.

Spanish Club officers:  
M. Straumanis, L. Sam-  
uelson, B. Thompson,  
M. Malfroid.



## CLASSICAL CLUB

The purpose of the Classical Club, sponsored by Miss Fennell, is to promote cultural interests in languages, history, and Roman civilizations. Any student completing one semester of Latin with a B or better average is eligible to join. One of the main events this year was the singing of Christmas Carols in Latin. The club also contributed money to *The Grand Rapids Press* Santa Claus Girls at Christmas time. In addition, the club held spreads as social events. Officers of the club were Marcia Johnson, president; Jane De Maagd, vice-president; Lois Van Sweden, secretary; Doug Wiley, treasurer.

Classical Club: 1st Row: M. Hoebeke, K. Wesorick, J. Snyder. 2nd Row: L. Jenks, J. Bucknell, M. Johnson, E. Magone. 3rd Row: N. Dare, J. DeMaagd, D. Wiley, K. Riach. 4th Row: J. Surfus, M. Meyer, L. Smith, L. Van Sweden.

## SPANISH CLUB

The Spanish Club, made up of students with one year of Spanish, was organized to help students with the language and to promote interest in the Spanish language and customs. This year the members strove to accomplish this purpose by visiting the Fiesta Cafe, having a display of Spanish articles in the front showcase, and partaking in various other activities. Besides these learning activities, the meetings were all conducted in Spanish.

Spanish Club: 1st Row: P. Boomer, M. Malfroid, S. Vander Sloom 2nd Row: M. Dunn, C. Cininskas, L. Samuelson 3rd Row: G. Claytor, K. Green, P. Gorman 4th Row: D. Stien, B. Thompson, M. Straumanis







1st Row: M. Marlin, C. Muste, S. Plank, K. Syrett, S. Vander Sloom, M. Wood, M. Spencer, T. Cleveland  
 2nd Row: L. Burr, B. Weston, T. Ried, K. Marlett, F. Boland, Y. Kotrch, B. Cavanaugh, R. Hord, J. Grach-  
 strup 3rd Row: G. Ross, J. Nutt, C. Apostle, D. Gogo, M. Sewis, S. Peabody, S. Shiefler, P. Voigt 4th  
 Row: S. Barense, M. Vasquez, M. Walsh, M. Johnson, D. Vitens, E. Fordoes



## Y-TEENS

The Senior Y-Teens, organized during the second semester, have become a very active club. With their purpose in mind, to encourage Christian spirit, friendship, and service in cooperation with the Grand Rapids Y.W.C.A. They have given service and have had several spreads with speakers. With Miss Dodds as sponsor, the officers were: President Teri Reed, Vice-President Secretary Sue Vander Sloom, Treasurer Sue Schiefler.



The purpose of the Junior Y-Teens is to promote friendship, cooperation, and a bond of understanding in the knowledge and love of God. This club, which works in coordination with the Y.W.C.A., has many activities through which the members tried to fulfill their purpose. With Mrs. Young as their sponsor, the officers of this active club are president, Sandra Kloet; vice-president, Sue Meyers; secretary, Bev Weekley; treasurer, Jane Wong; and Inter Club Council Representative, Judy Zee.

1st Row: J. Crawford, Y. Rodriguez, A. Roelofs, A. Gutierrez, J. Wong, B. Cassel, G. Brunnett, P. Landauer, N. Johnson 2nd Row: B. Holmes, F. Simson, S. Schroeder, M. Slovinski, S. Lawson, W. Jones, B. Weekley 3rd Row: E. Evans, P. Kloet, R. Jones, S. Myers, B. Gooder, J. Zee, S. Kloet



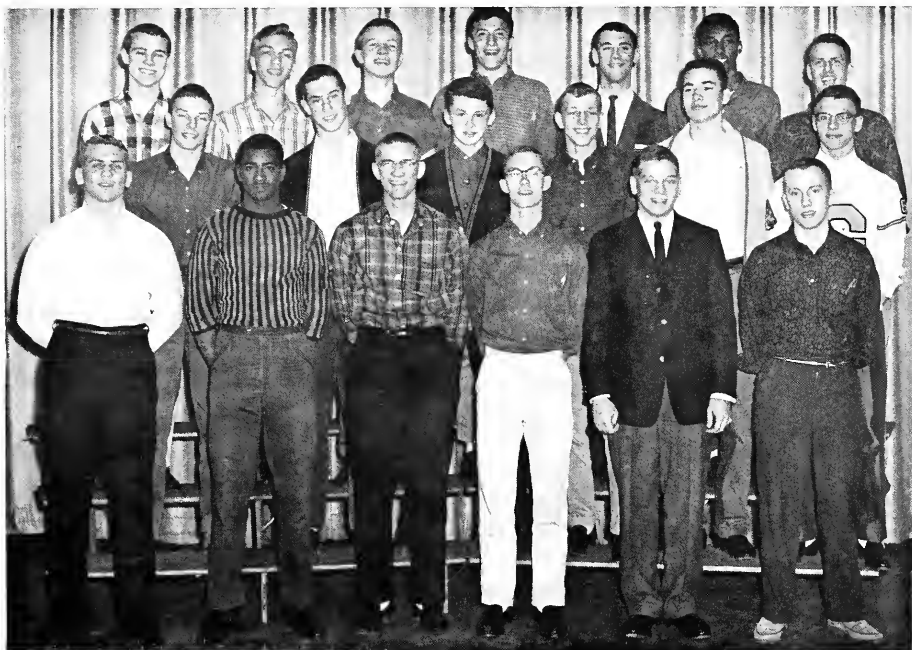


# HI-Y

Good scholarship and a Christian way of life; these are the purposes of the Hi-Y. Any Senior High boy who is interested may join. The activities of the club closely follow those of the Y.M.C.A. Through the Hi-Y the boys participated in organized bowling and basketball with other clubs in the city. The officers this year were president, Dick Nelson; vice-president, Allan Marsh; secretary, Dick Atwell; treasurer, Stan Hula; and chaplin, Richard Bressler. Mr. Cleveland was the sponsor.



1st Row: S. Hula, M. Baker, R. VanderArk, A. Marsh, T. Swiger, T. Walsh. 2nd Row: D. Hickok, D. McGrath, V. Arins, L. Celmins, J. Van Houten, B. Afton. 3rd Row: D. Nelson, K. Hanson, V. Klavins, R. Miller, D. Atwell, R. Weekley, J. Zehe.





1st Row: P. Boomers, M. Sweet, F. Simon, S. Taylor, S. Bremmer. 2nd Row: A. Sallie, P. Colley, P. Gorman, S. Mayfield.

## LIBRARY CLUB

A very helpful and useful club is the Library Club. With Mrs. Brower, the sponsor, giving assistance, the members of all grades have given aid in helping students in the library, tending to the checking and timing of permits, checking out books, and taking care of overdue books. In addition to keeping the bookshelves in order, the members also promote a keen interest in new books. Because of the new school schedule, the Library Club has found it difficult to have any activities. However, the members have devoted time and effort to keep the library in smooth running order for the convenience of those who use it.



Officers: Pres. A. Sallie, Vice-Pres. P. Boomers, Sec. M. Sweet, Treas. P. Colley.



1st Row: E. Drew, J. Hyser, J. Synder, K. Hardestey, M. Welsh, N. Wotring, M. Spencer.

2nd Row: J. Brayman, M. Dunn, S. Stressman, R. Rosema, N. Wendwandt, S. Wagenaar, E. Koukios, K. Green.

The Future Teachers' Club sponsored by Mr. Van Aartsen and Miss Westra was organized this year with the purpose of acquainting all interested students with the teaching profession. Included among its activities were sponsoring meetings to acquaint members with the teaching profession, bringing in college representatives such as student teachers, and having panel discussions on teaching. These activities were to help the members explore the teaching profession while making the choice of a career.



Officers: Sec. M. Spencer, Vice-Pres. N. Wendlant, Pres. T. Cleveland

# **FUTURE TEACHERS' CLUB**



1st Row: S. Taylor, S. Singer, S. Johnson, J. Vasequez, B. Sholley, F. Boland, K. Cogan, M. Spencer, S. Taylor, C. McNeal. 2nd Row: S. Singer, N. Seitz, M. Hulls, B. Winters, A. Alway, J. Surfus, B. Arnt.  
 3rd Row: L. Celmins, P. Tunnicliff, P. Voigt, M. Martin, S. Huizing, G. Ross, G. Brown, S. Russell. 4th Row: E. Carlisle, J. Drew, B. Wotring, K. Lamb, D. Brogdon, M. Grummett, J. Gildner, S. Wagner.

1st Row: J. Hizing, S. Gilner, G. Moore, N. Wendlant. 2nd Row: S. Pukk, B. Lieberman, B. Grady, R. Williams, G. Goree, L. McNeal, F. Simon, P. Widdleherth, C. DeYoung, N. Janis, S. Vander Slaat, M. Wood, M. Hoebeke.  
 3rd Row: S. Barens, M. Wong, L. Sallie, I. Duendag, A. Edwards, G. Clyce, B. Wilson, S. Darling, N. Hudson, D. Vitins, K. Tornga, S. Schiefler, E. Densmore, R. Storey. 4th Row: K. Marlett, B. Bergmans, M. Thompson, A. Figures, W. Glenn, D. Hardesty, C. Yoder, M. Lewis, Y. Kotrich, S. Stressman, S. Bieri, J. DerMaagd, R. Jones.





1st Row: B. Wittenboch, L. Samuelson, N. Dare, M. Woolf, L. Hubka, J. Huyser. 2nd Row: L. Jenks, R. Lee, P. Johnson, P. Stoecker, I. Arins, M. Bowman, L. Stede. 3rd Row: M. Vermaire, A. Burton, H. Peegel, I. Silavs, L. VanSweden, E. VanSweden, M. Dunn. 4th Row: K. Green, J. Sanders, L. Grooters, N. Gunton, J. Bachman, B. Kerpe, P. Dubinshak.

## GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Girls' Athletic Association seeks to build sportsmanship and good citizenship through sports. Being a member of G. A. A. helps a girl meet new friends from the tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grades. The girls compete in games such as volleyball, basketball, badminton, table tennis, and softball. At the end of the year the girls were awarded numerals of their graduating year for the first year, a small 'C' for the second year, and all-city honor pins for the third year. Miss Freeman sponsors G. A. A. The president this year was Pat Dubinshak with Jackie Sanders as vice-president, Joan Bachman as secretary, and Inguna Silavs as treasurer.



Officers: Seated, Miss Freeman, sponsor; J. Bachman, secretary; P. Dubinshak, pres.; J. Sanders, vice-pres.; I. Silavs, treas.



L to R, 1st Row: M. Malik, N. Marshall, S. Belka. 2nd Row: D. Rosendale, D. Olsen, B. Keilholtz, G. Woodward, R. Jarret, J. Zalans, C. Essler. 3rd Row: S. Parker, K. Chartier, C. Nickerson, N. Kiel, P. McCanless, V. Tarrien, G. Kilpatrick. 4th Row: S. Slavinski, K. Scott, K. Erb, R. Kinney, P. Syren, B. Spencer, K. Brown, B. Wojcnski.

## HELPING HAND CLUB

The Helping Hand Club is made up of junior members in the seventh through ninth grade who earn senior membership by doing outstanding work for the benefit of the club and members of the Senior High School. Among the club's activities were sponsoring a child for Save the Children Federation, adopting a family to which they gave aid, earning funds for a senior class trip, and other services for the school. First semester officers were pres., William Keilholtz; sec., Charlin Essler; treas., Nolen Dillon. Second semester officers were pres., Charlin Essler; vice-pres., Ronald Kinney; sec., Karen Chartier; treas., Nolen Dillon; treas.-elect, Sharon Parker.



Left: Sponsors George McClellan and Arselia Schler. Above: Officers: Pres. W. Keilholtz, Vice-Pres. Q. Marlette, Sec. C. Essler, Treas. N. Dillion.



# SENIOR HIGH RED CROSS

## Sr. Red Cross

The members of the Senior Red Cross, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Quigley, participated in many activities during the year: a fund drive which raised ninety dollars and twenty-eight cents; worked at the Welcome Home for the Blind, where the girls read and helped the blind; made scrapbooks for the children at the Blodgett Home — thus fulfilling their purpose of giving service and aiding the less fortunate. Once a month, representatives were sent to the Junior Red Cross Headquarters where they met other Council members. Both Junior and Senior Red Cross representatives are sent to a Red Cross camp for a week during the summer. Officers of Central's Senior High Chapter of Junior Red Cross were Alan Marsh, president; Margaret Vermaire, vice-president; Beth Wittenbach, secretary; and Jim Jones, treasurer.

Officers: A. Marsh, pres.; B. Wittenbach, secretary  
J. Jones, treas.; M. Vermaire, vice-pres.



1st Row: B. Sholley, P. Tunnicliff, E. Drew, E. Van Sweden, C. Apostle, F. Bowman, K. Cogan, S. Russell. 2nd Row: L. Celmins, R. Kuiper, M. Johnson, K. Carr, B. Walring, M. Martin, N. Seitz, T. Cleveland. 3rd Row: B. Wittenbach, M. Vermaire, I. Silavs, N. Weldlandt, M. Swartz, J. Bachman, B. Kerpe, C. Kasma. 4th Row: S. Samuelson, R. Weekley, R. Letts, J. Jones, D. Atwell, J. Zehe, A. Marsh, D. Quint.





1st Row: P. Garman, L. Celmins, L. Samuelson, R. Brian, S. Singer, J. Huyser, L. Sawle, L. Stede. 2nd Row: G. Ross, H. Peege, P. Voigt, K. Grooters, D. Badrick, L. MacIver, P. Johnson, R. Kuiped. 3rd Row: P. Stoepker, L. Grooters, B. Kerpe, M. Malfroid, C. Kazma, B. Wittenbach, A. Burton, M. Vermaire. 4th Row: K. Green, J. Sanders, I. Silavs, L. Celmins, K. Bartholomeu, J. Van Houten, G. Gathards, J. Bachman, K. Lamb, S. Beaumont.

## SOCK AND BUSKIN

The purpose of Sock and Buskin is to promote student interest in dramatics and other related activities. The club is open to all interested students. Included among its activities were spreads, ushering for plays at the Civic Theater, and participating in dramatic activities. The members all worked to gain honor points by participating in activities related to dramatics. Miss De Young was the sponsor of this group.

Officers: Pres. Terri Rybske, Vice-Pres. Latvis Celmins, Sec. Dawn Badrick, Treas. Linda Grooters.





# YOUTH FOR CHRIST

Each Thursday morning the Youth for Christ Club, sponsored by Mr. Meyaard, met in room 34. This year's officers, Rich Vander Ark, president; Dave De Vries, vice-president; Joanne Surfu, secretary; Ken Pierce, treasurer; and Marv Stephens, program chairman; have worked together to present many interesting meetings. These programs included skits, special music, special speakers, films, and panel discussions. The purpose of this rapidly growing club is to provide a Christian fellowship for young people of all ages. This club works in cooperation with the downtown Youth for Christ, which presents rallies every Saturday night and sponsors roller skating parties once every month. As an outside activity, the Y.F.C. club has a combined hay ride and pizza party in the fall.

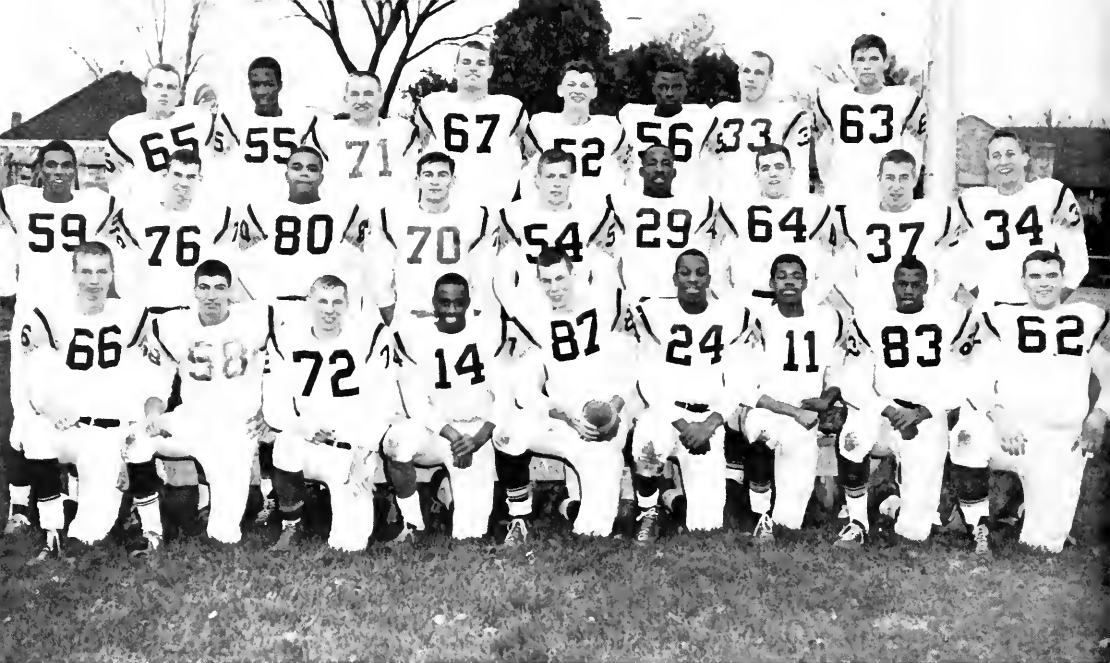


# ATHLETICS

Throughout the year, many sports have reigned in the light. The sports can be divided into fall, winter, and spring. In the fall, there is football and cross country. Basketball and swimming occupy the winter months. The spring, always a busy time, is highlighted with track, baseball, golf, and tennis. Athletics provide for growth and educational training through teamwork and valuable first hand experience.







1st row: L. DeBruyn, R. Fyke, D. Dood, C. Holt, D. McGrath, J. Nixon, R. Brown, T. Richardson, C. Gooder  
 2nd row: D. Weekly, J. Covert, R. Mabin, B. Dusendang, F. Barr, J. Otterbridge, A. Wilder, T. Ripmaster, E. Ripmaster  
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 Coach "Russ" Posthumus, Assistant Coach "Pat" Barr, Managers D. Vedejs and C. Ripmaster

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 Managers D. Vedejs and C. Ripmaster

## VARSITY FOOTBALL

This year the football season started off with both a new team and new coach. However, the combination of Mr. "Russ" Posthumus and his thirty scrappers soon improved and only lost top city ranking by a very few points. Not one game was lost by more than two points with the exception of the Catholic - Central contest. The team can be proud of its close record and position of fourth in the city standings. It can also praise All City players Bruce Dusendang and Tom Ripmaster. Dusendang was also voted Most Valuable Lineman by his teammates and Jim Otterbridge was voted Most Valuable Back. The season ended with an even record of four wins, four losses, one tie, and one pretty well broken in football squad.

### SCORES

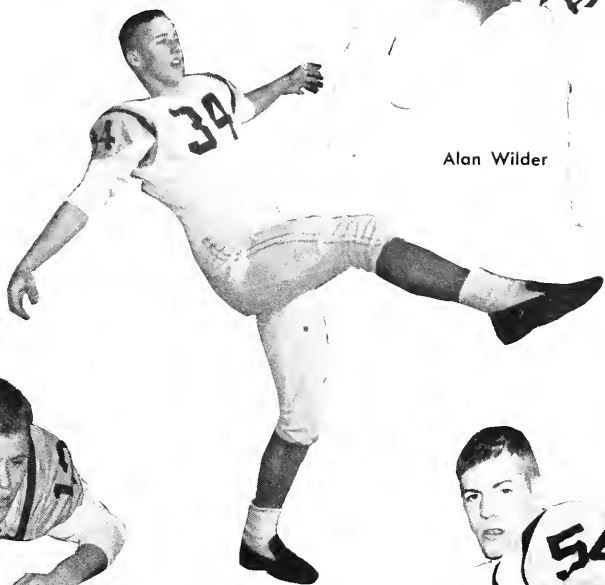
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Creston .....	13	13
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Catholic Central .....	13	46
Union .....	25	14
South .....	25	27
Ottawa .....	13	6
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Alan Wilder



Ben Weeber



Larry DeBruyn



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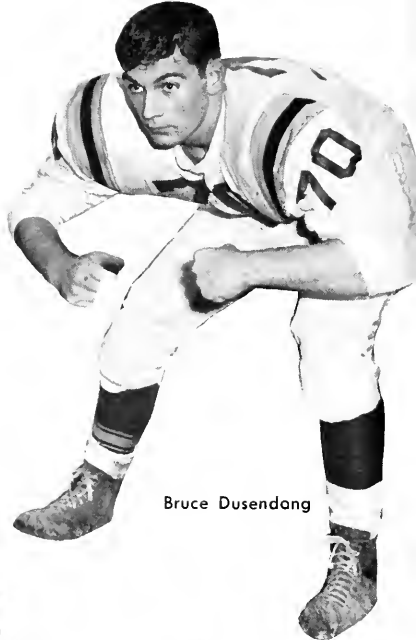
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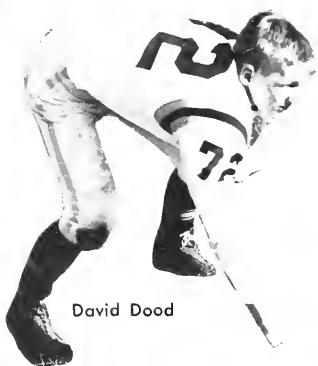
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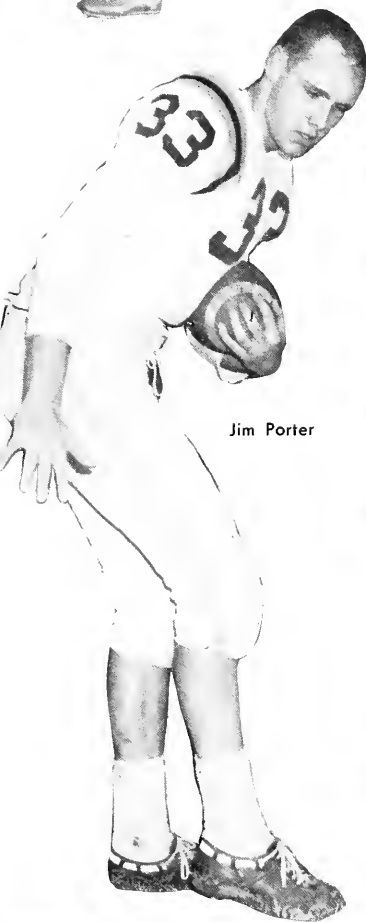
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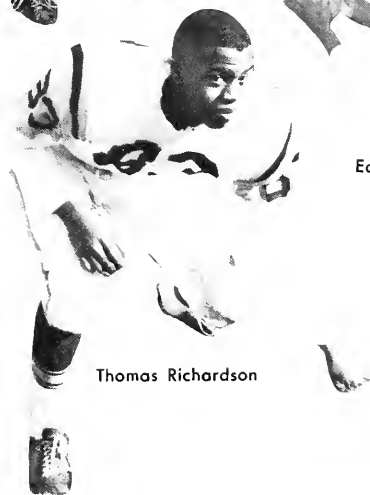
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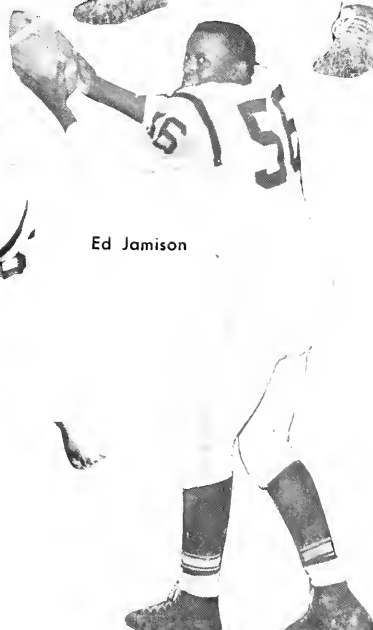
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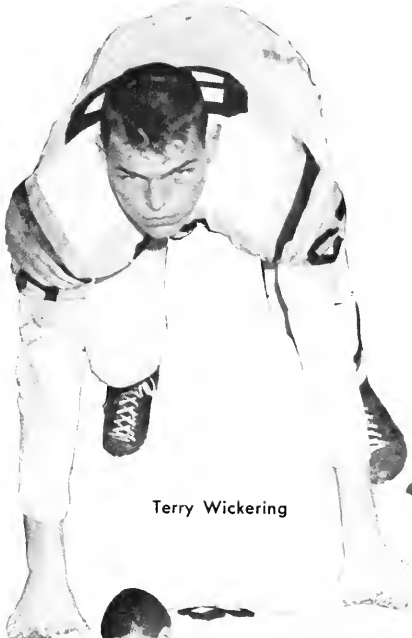


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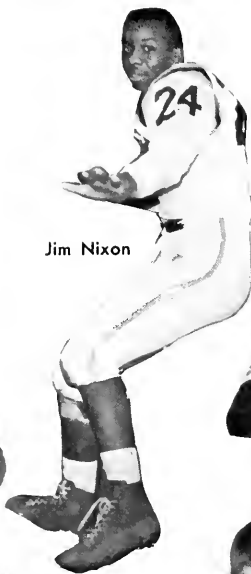


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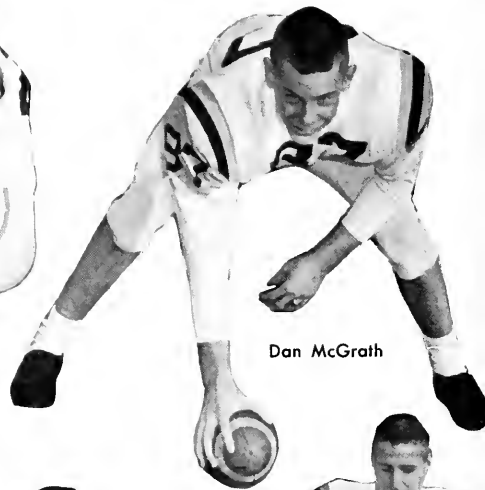
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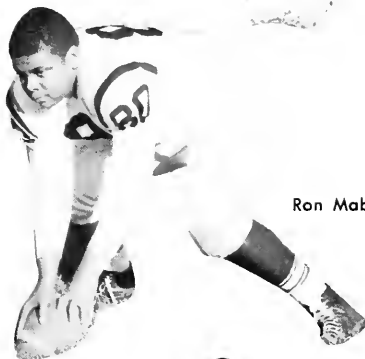
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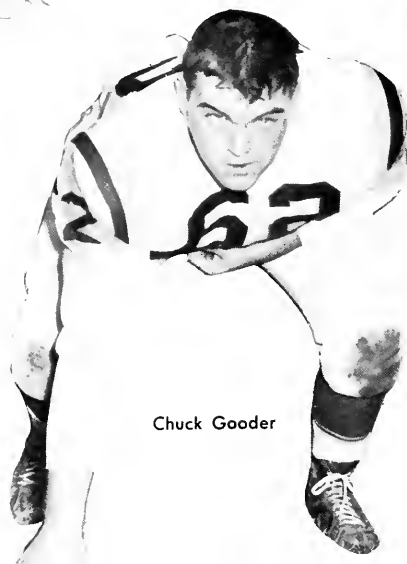
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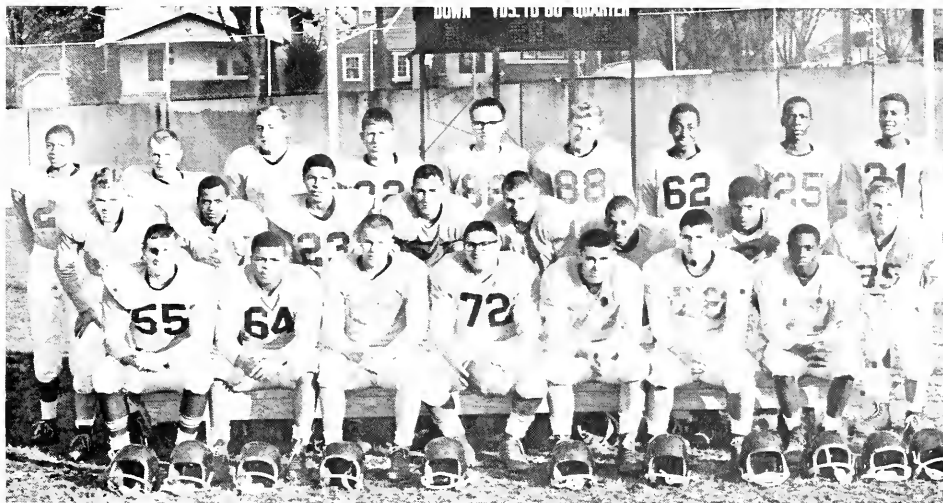




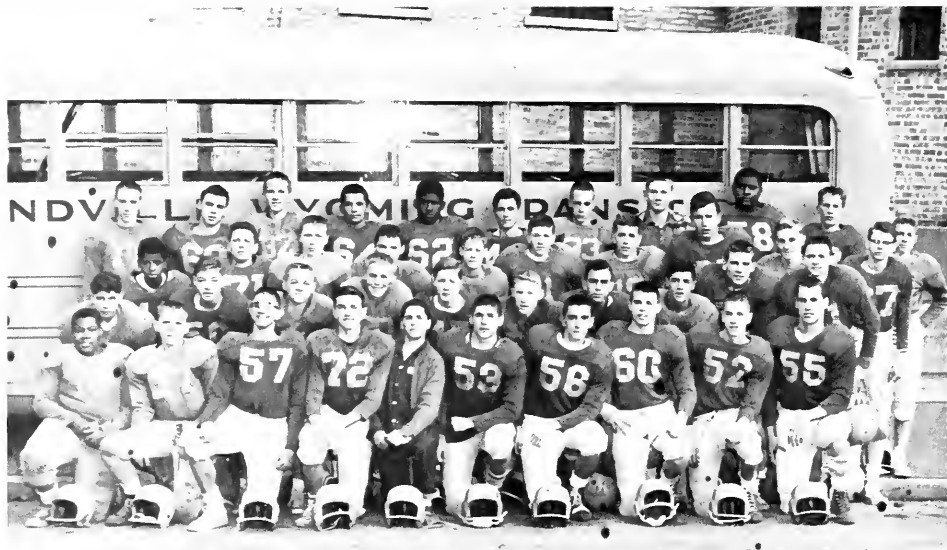
D. Ripmaster, coach, Mr. Hecker, P. Wail

## SECOND TEAM FOOTBALL

The 1960 second team football squad also underwent a change in its coaching staff. Mr. Gene Hecker led the team on to a third place position in the city rankings. For winning only two out of seven games, that was a surprisingly good end for the season. The team has gathered valuable experience, and combined with the remaining varsity players should produce a tough team for next year's gridiron competition.



1st row: D. Rathbun, J. Booker, B. Grinwis, M. Koukios, B. Perkins, T. Kiry, J. Jones  
 2nd row: J. Moore, R. Nelson, H. Hicks, R. Uhlman, B. Jourdon, M. Calloway, L. Goodson, P. Weeber  
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 2nd row: D. Bowden, J. Brander, D. Bush, G. Thomas, R. Gerritsen, D. VanPutten, J. Kuzniak, R. Lambert, R. Palma, D. Stephens  
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## FRESHMAN TEAM FOOTBALL

Coach, Mr. Ludwick, Managers D. VanDyk and M. Crabb, assistant coach, Mr. Killman



In reviewing the results of the freshman football season, the record shows three wins and two losses, finishing third in the city league standings. Various problems arose for Coach Ludwick due to the loss of some of his players. However, the team still pulled through, capturing its third place position.

# CROSS COUNTRY

The 1960 Cross Country season was one which will long be remembered by both the team and the school. For the first time in Central's history, our cross country team was city and regional champions. Also, the undefeated team won the Y.M.C.A. city dual. The class A champs unofficially placed second or third in the state meet at Ypsilanti, although due to some confusion and error at the finish, officially we ran eighth. Under the coaching of Mr. George Cleveland, the team had an exceedingly successful year in spite of the fact that it had little support from the student body with only a handful of spectators at the meets. Special recognition is given to James Crawford, Roy Powers, Klaus Schagat, and Roger Weekley who received Oscars for placing in the top ten in the Y.M.C.A. city meet. Richard Bressler was awarded a loving cup for finishing in the top fifteen. The remaining members of the team are to be congratulated because it was the team work of all which made our cross country team outstanding. Although many of the members are graduating this year, enough of them will remain as a basis for another good year.



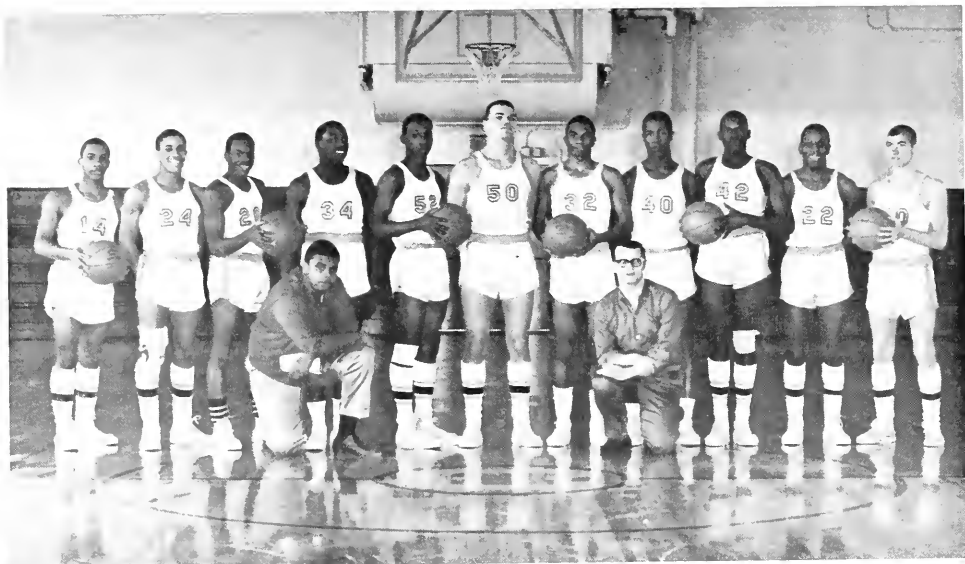
Coach, Mr. Cleveland and Manager J. VanHouten

## SCORES

Central 20.....	Ottawa 44
Central 16.....	Catholic Central 65
Central 19.....	Creston 41
Central 17.....	South 49
Central 24.....	Christian 31
Central 18.....	Union 45

Left to right: R. Weekley, P. DeYoung, J. Haveman, M. Stramanis, B. Thompson, R. Powers, C. Hagle, K. Pierce, B. Swiger, J. Crawford, D. Nelsan, K. Schagat, D. Verbrugge, R. Bressler, T. Gravelyn, D. Hickak, B. Aftan, D. DeVries, M. Smith, J. VanHouten





M. Calloway, R. Wilson, T. Richardson, J. Otterbridge, L. White, T. Wickerling, D. Weekley, A. Simpson, E. Jamison, J. Nixon, R. Fyke In foreground: Managers R. Mabin, D. Wilson.

## VARSITY BASKETBALL

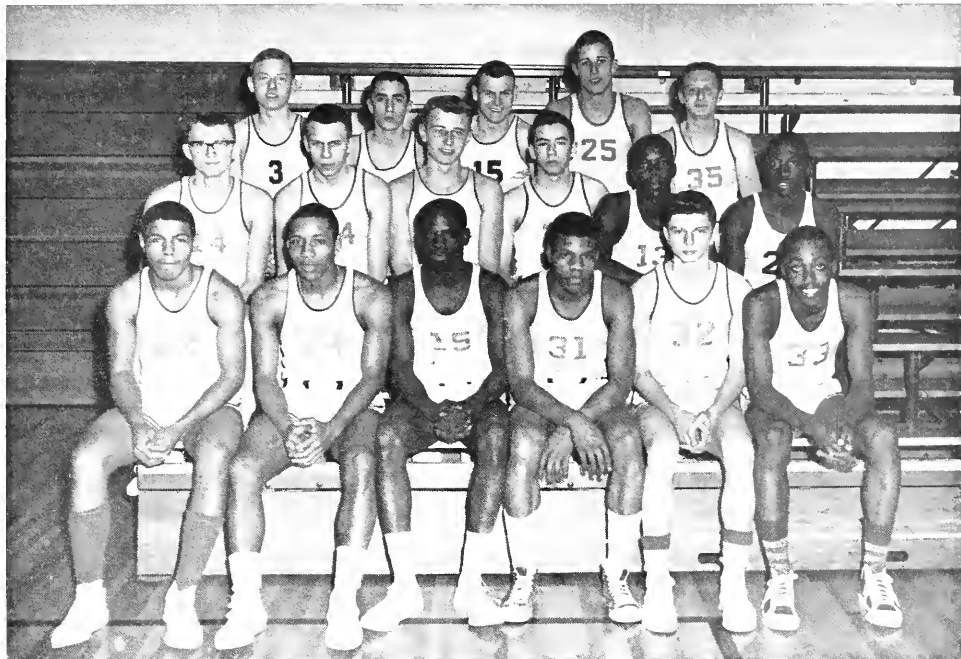


Coach Sharphorn

The 1960-61 basketball season was one of very close games for the varsity squad on both the winning and losing sides. The team finished the season with a good record of twelve games won and three games lost winding up in second place in the city. In the district tournaments, the squad defeated Union for an easy championship. However, the team met defeat in a close regional game with Escanaba, thus ending our drive toward the state tournaments. The varsity team was under the coaching of Mr. Sharphorn. With the boys coming out from the second team and the seven out of eleven varsity players returning next year, Central should again see a successful basketball season.

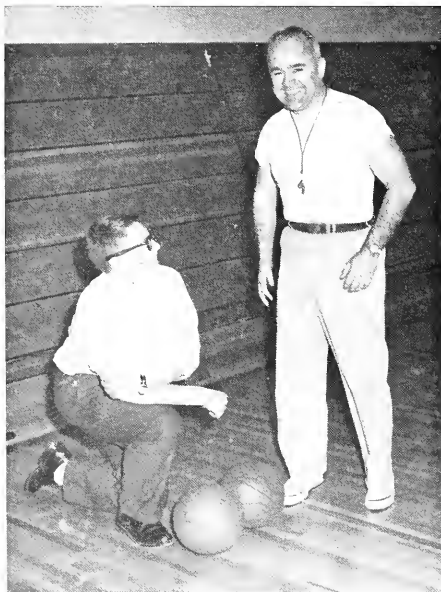
### SCORES

	WE	THEY
Muskegon Heights .....	64	53
East Grand Rapids.....	57	58
Union .....	81	57
South .....	66	83
Catholic Central .....	73	56
Creston .....	66	34
Ottawa .....	86	75
Christian .....	54	52
Union .....	77	53
South .....	50	66
Catholic Central .....	64	53
Creston .....	56	49
Ottawa .....	59	58
Christian .....	60	59
Godwin Heights .....	54	62



1st row: H. Hicks, M. Calloway, J. Jones, L. Goodson, G. Swiger, G. Clark  
 2nd row: W. Schuman, B. Giberson, J. Bauw, D. Wiley, T. Devlin, C. Griggs  
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## SECOND TEAM BASKETBALL

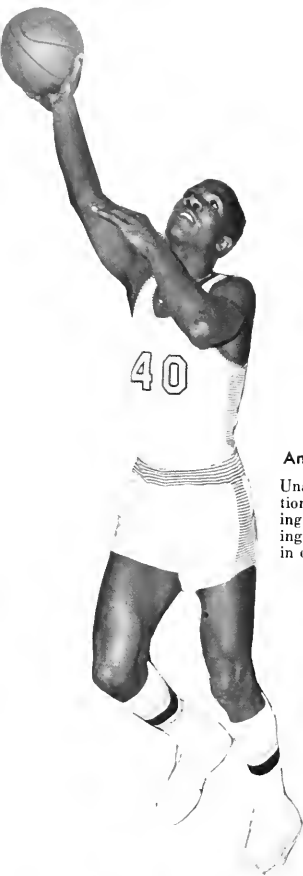


This year's second team basketball squad found itself in third place in the final city rankings. The future of the varsity team promises to be encouraging with the prospects from this year's second team. Maurice Calloway, one of its outstanding players, was brought up to the varsity this season. Although this was a loss for the second team, both Maurice and the varsity team gained experience toward the success of next year's varsity squad. Under the coaching guidance of Mr. Fox, the team terminated the season with a fairly even record of eight games won to seven games lost and none tied.

### Scores

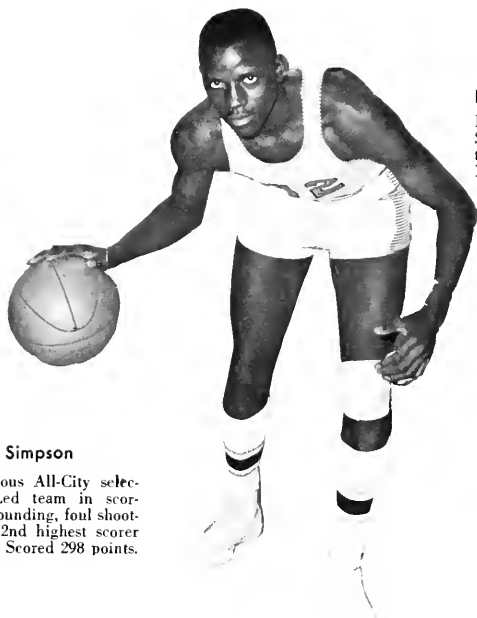
	We	They
Creston	45	6
Grand Haven	6	32
Catholic Central	13	20
Union	13	13
South	14	0
Ottawa	13	25
Holland	19	27
Creston	8	0
Catholic Central	0	32
Union	27	0
South	0	13
Ottawa	13	7

Coach Mr. Fox, Manager L. Weatherbee



**Annel Simpson**

Unanimous All-City selection. Led team in scoring, rebounding, foul shooting — 2nd highest scorer in city. Scored 298 points.



**Ed Jamison**

Rangy Junior forward. Strong rebounding and potential high scorer. Scored 146 points.

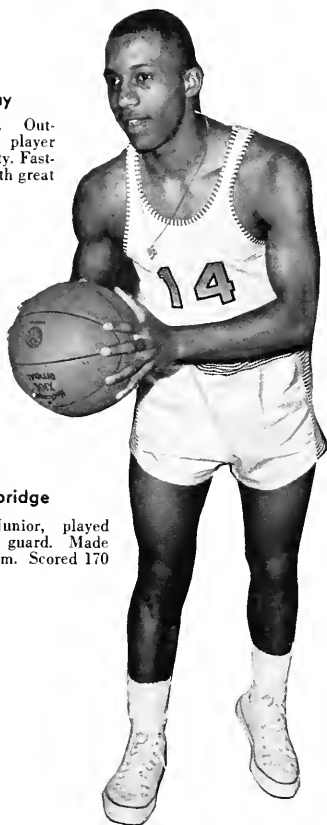


**Lee White**

Junior forward who should develop into a top rate player next year.

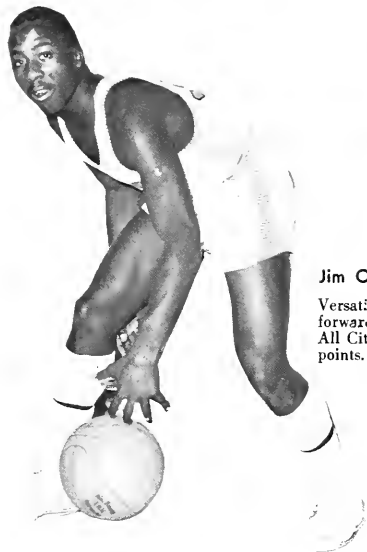
**Maurice Calloway**

Sophomore guard. Outstanding reserve player brought up to varsity. Fastest boy on squad with great potential.



**Jim Otterbridge**

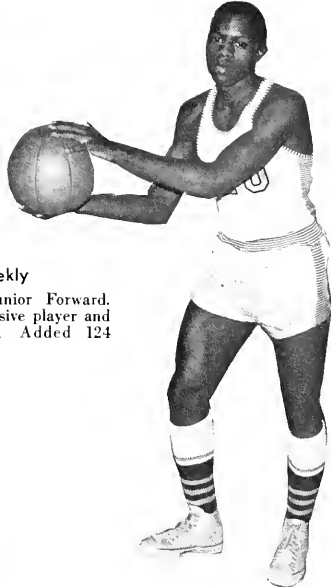
Versatile Junior, played forward or guard. Made All City team. Scored 170 points.





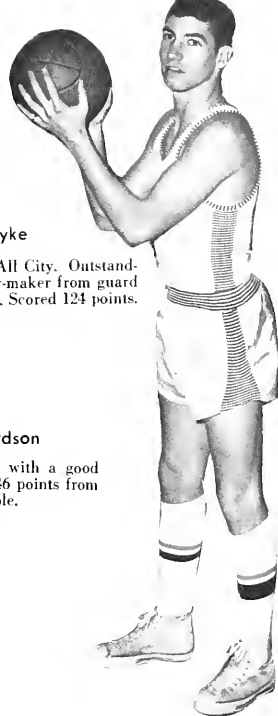
### Dale Weekly

Regular Junior Forward. Good defensive player and rebounder. Added 124 points.



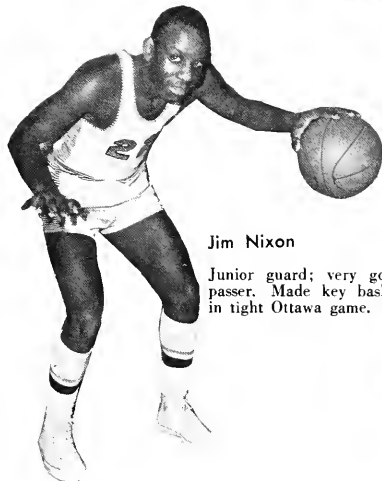
### Tom Richardson

Junior guard with a good eye. Added 46 points from his reserve role. Roy Wilson



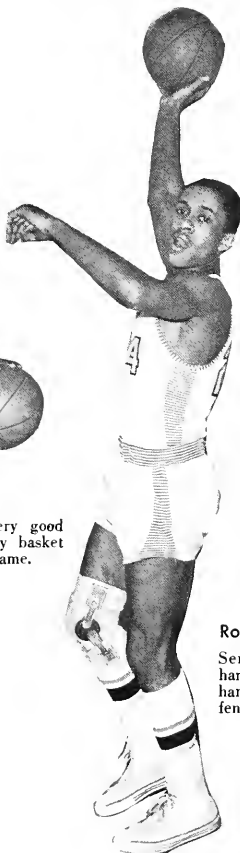
### Russ Fyke

Senior All City. Outstanding play-maker from guard position. Scored 124 points.



### Jim Nixon

Junior guard; very good passer. Made key basket in tight Ottawa game.



### Terry Wicking

Tallest member on team at 6' 2". Tremendous spirit and desire. Senior. Tom Richardson



### Roy Wilson

Senior guard; injuries hampered him. Very quick hands made him a fine defensive player.



1st row: B. Ditmar, B. Caswell, J. VandenBerge, J. Grady, R. Rosema, W. Edwards, K. Miller, E. Koukias.  
 2nd row: T. Gordon, E. Carlisle, J. Hoebeke, R. Pugh, F. Griffiths, T. McKoy, J. Bradford, B. Barr, J. Williams. Manager, Mike Crabb, and Jack Pressey.

## FRESHMAN TEAM BASKETBALL





# SWIMMING

This year has not been a good one for the swimming team. Having not won a meet throughout the season, the team assumed the last place position in the city. The problem seemed to be a lack of depth, for, even though some of the members of the team were strong in certain events, they could not carry the whole meet alone. However, in spite of their disappointing record, the team managed to win fifty-seven per cent of the first places. In the city meet Coach Ludwick expected better results than were attained. The team placed sixth taking a second place in diving, a third and fourth in back stroke, a sixth in breast stroke, and a second in the medley relay. Three major letter winners returning to next year's squad are Larry DeBruyn, Don Keegstra, and Dean Rathbun. We hope next year will be more encouraging for the team.



1st Row: D. Verbrugge, D. Keekstra, E. Kiander, R. Powers, D. Rathbun, P. Grawburg. 2nd Row: P. Fuller, B. Jorgenson, B. Ashley, D. Wilcox, C. Hogle, G. Dzeguze, J. Payne. 3rd Row: J. Covert, L. Veeneman, L. DeBruyn, V. Purins.





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## VARSITY TRACK

This season's track team had many experienced lettermen returning to the squad. Mr. Fox, a new coach for this team, was expected to have one of the best teams. There were also expectations from new track members. With the combination of the new and experienced members, the team, coached by Mr. Fox, should have a fine season.

D. Westrate, Mr. Fox, L. Weatherbee

# FRESHMAN TRACK



Tom Brown and Mr. Posthumus.

Row 1: O. Agnew, G. Bailey, B. Barr, J. Bates, D. Booker, R. Booker, M. Boras, J. Bowman. Row 2: G. Brown, J. Budnick, B. Bump, B. Burchfield, E. Carlisle, B. Carter, R. Ceton, M. Clark. Row 3: D. Crawford, D. Dyer, Y. Dillon, J. DuShane, G. Estep, A. Geldof, T. Gorden, E. Green. Row 4: F. Griffis, C. Gunderson, J. Hubka, S. Hula, D. Huyser, C. Jefferson, H. Jones, H. Koch. Row 5: K. Koetsier, E. Koukios, K. Krieger, D. Kreeger, S. Lachniet, W. La Grone, C. March, W. Mayhue. Row 6: T. McCoy, M. Mick, G. Myers, J. Muste, R. Peters, A. Piere, J. Potter, R. Preston. Row 7: C. Rothbun, P. Riley, R. Rosema, R. Schiefler, R. Simington, K. Spocks, D. VanDyk. Row 8: VanPutten, J. Vandenberg, R. Verstay, J. Williams, J. Word



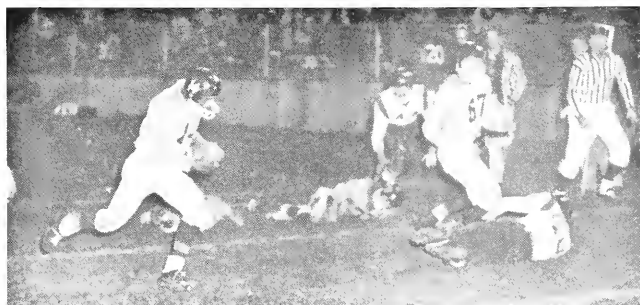
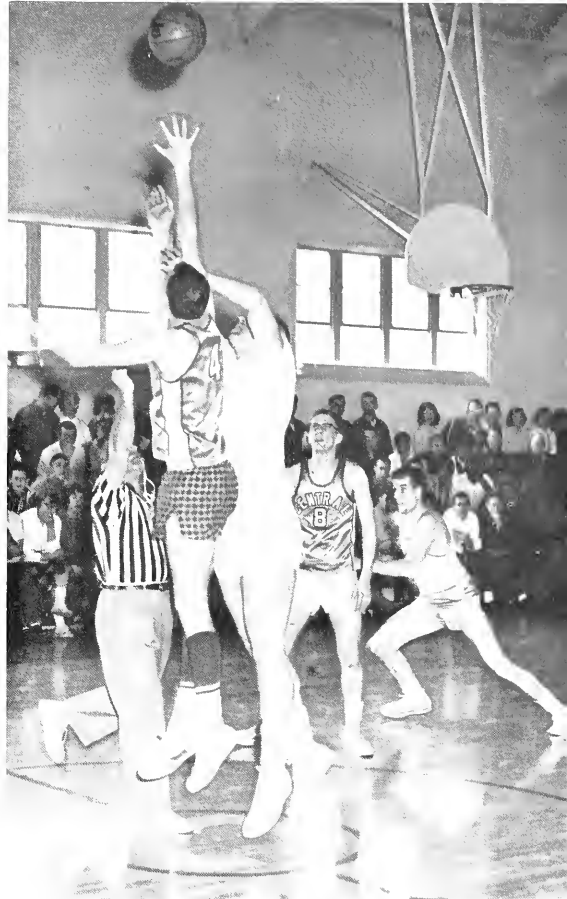
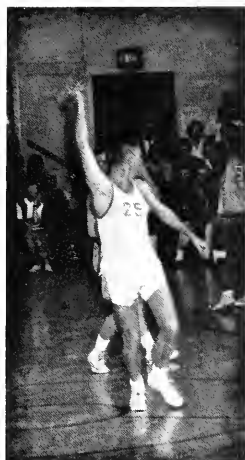
# VARSITY BASEBALL



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The 1961 baseball season doesn't open until the beginning of May. At the time Mr. Fillingham will display the talents of his team. The team is comprised of both returning lettermen and new recruits. Although it lost some stars with the 1960 graduation, the team has some good prospects and should do well this year.







Coach Mr. Hecker

# TENNIS

Due to the newness of the tennis team, it lacks depth and experience. With the help of several returning veterans, coach Gene Hecker is in the process of rebuilding. These boys are working hard to do their best even though they are confronted with many difficulties. The members will increase their experience through their valuable teamwork.

Row 1: F. Menko, J. Johnson, T. Swiger  
 Row 2: C. Kidder, D. Hickok, L. Cclmins, R. VonderArk, J. Jones  
 Row 3: K. Hanson, L. Williams, J. VanHouten, D. Varnell, B. Thompson





Mr. Engleman, D. Rathbun, G. Bracewell, V. Katelnicks, L. Ambrose, W. Gessler, A. Flory,

## GOLF

Central High's golf team of 1961 is enjoying a very fine season. The full team is made up of returning veterans, however, the coach, Robert Engleman, is new. The team is expected to forge quite a battle toward their first championship. Central's team has competition and must overcome several hurdles during its season. With much hard work and drive, the team should go far and gain experience.



John Gunn



Mike Brunett



Tom Burr



Ron Miller



Mr. Irwin



Patty Johnson

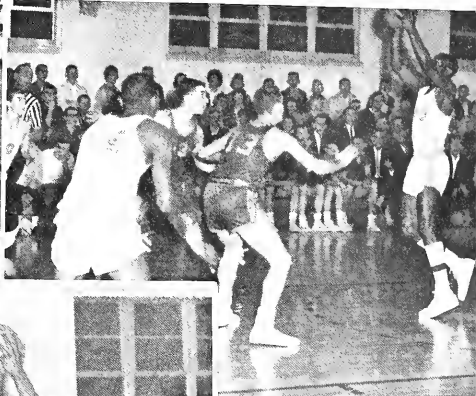
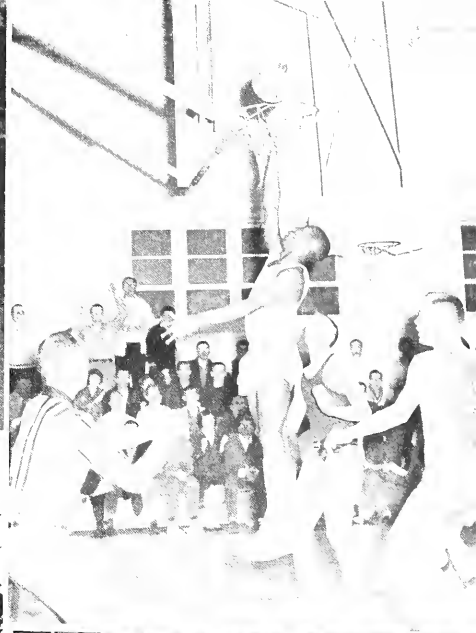
## ATHELTIC STAFF

Sharron Seitz



These are the people behind the scenes of the athletic department. They work together to make the meets, games, and assemblies possible. Mr. Irwin is the head of the Central High Athletic Department. His responsibility is to coordinate all its activities. Working in the athletic office as secretaries are Sharon Seitz and Patty Johnson. Their duties include looking up eligibilities, keeping records typing letters, and setting up the athletic assemblies. Together they all help to make athletics a smooth running program.





# UNDERCLASSMEN

Underclassmen, seventh through eleventh grades, grow and progress from stage to stage just as light might. The seventh grade is pictured as a flicker might be in a fire; small, wavering, and unsteady, and yet most important, too. While still unsteady, the eighth grade has an inkling or idea of the future and glimmer with faint rays of light. The ninth grade pulls through with many a flash, shining perhaps for only a moment at a time, but nevertheless preparing for their future. In preparation for senior high, the tenth grade is pictured as a flare bursting forth more permanently and becoming active in senior high activities, but still wavering as though not quite steady or sure. The juniors, almost ready to take over as seniors, are represented by a flame, growing in steadiness and capabilities.







## SEVENTH GRADE

Represented as a flicker of light, small, wavering, and unsteady, the seventh graders experienced quite a different phase of their lives. Many welcomed the new challenge of entering high school, and they have grown in their adjustment to the new and exciting environment. New opportunities for academic and emotional growth as well as for participation, service, citizenship, and friendship have presented themselves as the year progressed.



Hilda  
Adams

James  
Adonis

Oliver  
Agnew

Sandra  
Allen

Susan Jo  
Anderson



Meldon  
Atkins

John  
Avots

Gilbert  
Bailey

Harold  
Baker

James  
Baker



Barry  
Baldwin

Ann  
Barnes

Jerry  
Barnwell

Barry  
Barr

Jack  
Barringer



John  
Barrie

Lenonard  
Beardsley

Lorraine  
Beardsley

Tom  
Beckman

Gloria  
Beckwith



Lenese  
Beeks



Marilyn  
Bent



Phil  
Berquist



Earl  
Bettiste



Rabin  
Billings



Susan  
Blower



Chuck  
Baba



Marty  
Baat



Cheryl  
Bales



Kathleen  
Balle



Marc  
Baagaard



Michael  
Basawski



Barbara  
Bowdidge



Judith  
Bayd



Earl  
Bracewell



Barbara  
Brawn



Gary  
Brawn



Vanessa  
Brawn



Marilyn  
Buck



Bill  
Bump



Craib  
Burgess



Sally  
Butler



Bill  
Buris



Fred  
Buyze



Joseph  
Cage



Laurain  
Calabrese



Gerald  
Calmese



David  
Cantreel



Elma  
Carlisle



Frank  
Carlisle



Delores  
Casares



Jim  
Casares



Gilda  
Chittan



Barbara  
Christensen



Georgetta  
Clark



Marlin  
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Nancy  
Cale



Clyde  
Calley



Nancy  
Causina



Jackie  
Crawford



Danny  
Cullinane



Sandra  
Cunningham



Judy  
Curtis



Paula  
Dahlke



Lucinda  
Darling



Robert  
Davis



Kenneth  
Dempsey



Diane  
Densmore



Ja Ann  
De Reiner



Linda  
Devault



Janis  
Devlin



Carl  
Dhaene



Jerry  
Dillon



Harold  
Dine



Ethel  
Divers



James  
Dockery



Billie  
Draese



Ronnie  
Dupard



Marcia  
Dupy



Danny  
Dyer



James  
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Narman  
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Willard  
Edwards



Bonnie  
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Thomas  
Ezell



Hazel  
Fessenden



Karin  
Fletcher



Mike  
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Robert  
Flickinger



Tam  
Foss



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Charlette  
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Robert  
Galbraith



Tom  
Gilner



Barbara  
Gaader



Edward  
Garniewicz



John  
Grady



Sharon  
Graham



John  
Grey



Linda  
Grey



It is 3:30, and students are rushing to their lockers.



Fudge and donuts sold after school always draw a crowd of hungry students.



Mr. Ludwick samples the products of a foods class.



Elmer  
Green

Margrethe  
Greenwood

Linda  
Grachowski

Nancy  
Grass

Angeline  
Gutierrez



Robin  
Haldaman



David  
Hansen



Bennie  
Haywood



Dennis  
Heeringa



Lewis  
Hendricks



Joseph  
Henry



John  
Hietje



Dianette  
Hight



Solly  
Hiser



Larry  
Hitchcock



David  
Hoefft



Barbara  
Holmes



Sharan Kay  
Holmes



Nancy  
Huffman



Johnnie Lee  
Hughes



Lorraine  
Hull



Marian  
Hull



Bill  
Hyde



Virginia  
Hyde



Geraldine  
Imlik



Athena  
Joffas



Erik  
Janson



Jim  
Jenkins



Bernard  
Johnson



Calvin  
Johnson



Martha  
Johnson



Mike  
Jahson



Mike  
Johnson



Beverly  
Jones



Patsy  
Jones



Wonda  
Jones



Karalyn  
Jordan



Janene  
Jorgensen



Diane  
Kaleefey



Marilyn  
Karapczyk



Alice  
Kasper



John  
Koye



Audrey  
Kendall



Florence  
Kent



Joyce  
Ketchaw



Sharon  
Kicz



Nancy  
Kingsnorth



Marilyn  
Klunder



Hana  
Kach



Paul  
Krajacic



Virginia  
Krambeen



William  
Kuykendall



Steve  
Lochnie



Melvin  
LaFrance



Dennis  
Lajiveness



Danual  
Lambert



Ethel  
Lee



Chery  
Leister



Judy  
Leister



Dara  
Levine



Arlene  
Lewis



Linda  
Lindeman



Keith  
Linner



Fester  
Lomax



Robert  
Lomax



Janice  
Lang



Paul  
Love



Helen  
Lowe



Diane  
Lawell



Suzanne  
Lawing



Patrick  
McCann



Cathy  
McDaniels



Rose  
McDiarmid



Linda  
McKeever



Bonnie  
McNeal



Everina  
McNeil



Larry  
McQueen



Bob  
MacMillan



Dzintra  
Magane



Florence  
Mah



Patricia  
Mann



Sheryl  
Maring



Bonnie  
Martin



Alberta  
Mathews



Paul  
Mayhue



Terry  
Mead



Susan  
Merryman



Sue  
Meyer



Mike  
Mick



Jim  
Mickel



Karen  
Miller



Lee Roy  
Mitchell



Lorraine  
Mancure



Vicki  
Maoney



Velvet  
Margan



Masley  
Cleave



Kenneth  
O'Berry



Darcy  
Olmsted



Gregory  
Opatik



Sharon  
Orlowski



Heather  
Palmer



Dick  
Peterman



Constance  
Pett



Gay  
Phelps



Barbara  
Pierce



Betty  
Pirtle



Tam  
Plank



Penny  
Plett



Bill  
Powers



James  
Pratt



John  
Price



David  
Pugh



Linda  
Pugh



Steve  
Ziel



Cheryl  
Radeck



Cy  
Rathburn



Barbara  
Rein



Frijan  
Reindersma



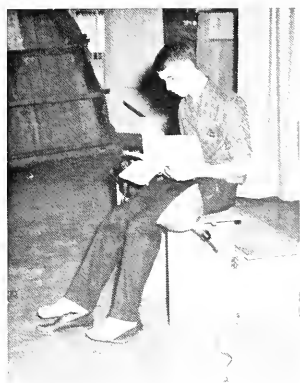
Daren  
Ringold



Dave  
Ripmaster









## EIGHTH GRADE

The eighth grade glimmering with faint rays of light and having an inkling or idea of the future, continued to build on last year's scholastic experience while new educational opportunity unfolded. Because they were better acquainted with their surrounding this year, the eighth graders participated more fully in extra curricular activities. Now, they are looking ahead and making preliminary long range plans for the next four years of high school.



Dan  
Adastik



Robert  
Anderson



Eric  
Arnold



Nancy  
Bohre



Maryanne  
Balk



Richard  
Baughn



Bernice  
Beeks



Jacqueline  
Belger



Daniel  
Beskool



Stephen  
Bradford



Bob  
Betz



Ronald  
Bice



Dick  
Birk



Charles  
Bivins



Lois  
Blockie



Robert  
Blanchard



Bruce  
Bobo



Richard  
Boeskool



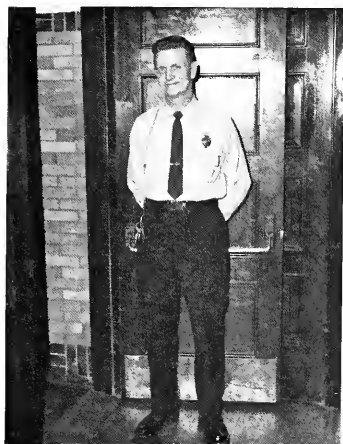
Larry  
Bogart



Harold  
Bolt



Underclassmen watch the C-Club Basketball Game.



Mr. Smith — a man of many talents.



Dennis  
Booker

Juanita  
Booker

Marcia  
Bomgoors

Maris  
Boras

Ronald  
Borst



Mike  
Bowdidge

Roberta  
Bowdidge

Jerry  
Bowersox

Eileen  
Bawkamp

Don  
Boyer



J. Gregory  
Brockett

Bernard  
Milton

Linda  
Bremmer

Suzette  
Brown

Annabelle  
Brownridge



Gail  
Brunett

Norma  
Butler

Virginia  
Butler

Tom  
Cage

Don  
Corey



Douglas  
Carey

Antony  
Carnegie

Richard  
Carrier

Barbara  
Cassel

Marilyn  
Cassis



Bennie  
Carter

Jeffrey  
Carter

Sandra  
Clark

Carol  
Clubine

Charles  
Cole

Donna  
Cane



Georgia  
Cooper

Kathleen  
Cox

Randy  
Crowford

Tom  
Cullinane

Robert  
Curtie

Sandra  
Curtis

Chester  
Davis

James  
Davis

Robert  
Davis

Tammy  
Davis



Billy  
Dawson

Eileen  
Dean

Jo Lynn  
Dean

Katie  
Dean

Laura  
DeBruyn

Roy  
DesVoignes

Nan  
Daminiak

Arnald  
Danins

Willie  
Donk

Martin  
Donker



Jim Dayle Mike Dayle Phyllis Dudley Margaret Dufort Bill Duncan Judy Dunning David Dupy Steve Dusendang Carole Duthler Rita Ellis



Mary Ellison Diana Emmans Jan Enell Walter Erb Glenn Estep Mark Evert Bob Fairbanks Rosemary Farzley Aaron Figures Eddie Flannigan



Patricia Fish Faye Flannigan Tom Fleming Craig Forsythe Robert Foster Bob Fragale Jim Fragale Martin Fraser Joyce Freeman Sue Galbraith



Ron Galloway Agapito Garza Gary Gazzella Junior Geldhof Anne Gharib Eugene Gipsan Bruce Gooden Thomas Gardan Willie Gardan Beatrice Griffiths



Fred Griffith Ray Grogan Gordon Gunn Salley Hansen Gus Haratsaris Dennis Hardley Bruce Harkema Dick Harris Mike Hatfield Gail Heeringa



Grace Hendricksan John Henderson Mary Henry Sue Heslinga Paul Heyboer Mervin Hill Paula Hillig Addison Hitchcock Lorraine Howard Delores Hubscher



Kathleen Hubscher Eileen Huizenga Bud Huizing Betty Hunter Toni Japlawy Charles Jefferson Dean Jennings Alfred Jahnson Janice Jahnson Leona Jahnson



Linda Jahnson Nancy Jahnson Ruth Jones Phillip Jones Linda Jones Sarah Jones Dick Jordan Kathy Karwaski Peggy Kent Richard Kent



Peggy Kikstra Karen Kinard Chuck Kleiboer Pam Kloet Gary Koopmans Rager Kahlenberger Ken Koetsier Martha Kaukiais Peggy Krajacic Jo Ann Krulek



William La Grone Becky Laman Howard Lambeth Bill Lamoreaux Denny Larson Susan Lawson Sammy Lee Arthur Leister Eugene Likely John Ling



Alberta Lippman Kathy Lydell William Lyle Mike McDonough Thomas McKay Barbara McKeever Charlie McLaughlin Toni MacMillen Margie Magnusen Jean Malfrid



Lynn Mallette Loretta Martel Barbara Martineau Shirley Mayfield Virgie Mayfield Mary Mayne Jim Mayrand Laura Meader Ron Merizon Bob Miller



Leslie Miller Linda Millhaupt Patricia Mancure Kenneth Morgan Linda Marren Carol Martinez Elio Mae Masley Dan Mitchell John Muste Gary Myers



Siege Nesbit Robert Nichols Pat Nielsen Marguerite Oldendurger Dale Orth Rasma Pakalns Mathew Palmer Susan Parks Diane Patterson Larry Peck



Danna Peterson Willie Peterson Carol Pfuhl Dennis Phillips Andre Pierre Curtis Pollie Joanne Pollitt Carol Popma Robert Preston Dianne Prorok



Marianne Prorok Rein Pukk Susan Quint Sue Raatz Art Radeck Janice Reeves Vince Reterstorf Lettice Reubusche Kathy Rich Patricia Kimmerman



Kenneth  
Rich



Mara  
Rabeznies



James  
Robinson



Marcia  
Robinson



Yolanda  
Rodriguez



Anne  
Roelofs



Marilyn  
Rogers



Donna  
Ralfe



Richard  
Runyan



Karen  
Rybski



Sharon Kay  
Rybski



Sandra  
Ryke



Leonard  
Saenz



Tony  
Saenz



Alby  
Sampanes



Jack  
Schcon



Ruth Ann  
Schuiling



Edward  
Shea



Nancy  
Shull



Patricia  
Sinke



Margaret  
Slovinski



Carol  
Smith



Craig  
Smith



Patricia  
Smith



Karl  
Soet



Danny  
Spates



Cathy  
Stegenga



Jane  
Stewart



Glenn  
Still



Frank  
Stimsan



Rick  
Tietema



Mary Lou  
Tiller



Bonnie  
Tobin



Connie  
Tabin



Sharon  
Toohy



Emmitt  
Trotter



Sharon  
Tubbs



Eva  
Tyler



Bonnie  
Voicuis



Richard  
Voicuis



Linda  
VanAllsburg



Sharon  
VanderHave



Joyce  
VanderJagt



Lynn  
VanderJagt



Jane  
Vanderleest



Jerry  
VanderMeer



Tom  
VanderPloeg



Vern  
VandeVaren



Tom  
VonEss



Dorine  
VonHeuten



Louis  
Vanliere



Jackie  
VanNul



Jayce  
VanRyn



Daniel  
Vasquez



Bonnie  
Veldhuis



Judy  
Vinson



Jerry  
Visser



Dave  
Vos



Patrick  
Wall



Carolyn  
Word



Richard  
Warwick



Byron  
Weatherwax



Carol  
Weemhoff



Roger  
Wesorick



Tam  
Weston



Earlon  
White



Ronald  
Widener



Eric  
Williams



Jimmy  
Williams



Ron  
Williamson



Sheliann  
Willis



Grant  
Wilson



Nancy  
Wilson



Charles  
Wisdom



Barry  
Wolf



Bill  
Woolf



James  
Ward



Mike  
Wunsch



Margaret  
Young



Joke  
Zendstra







## NINTH GRADE

Starting their selected courses this year with college or employment in mind, the ninth graders can be compared to a flash which shines and gives light for perhaps only a moment, but nevertheless preparing for what is to come. These students gained more intellectual growth on which they will be able to build another year. Because of previous participation and experience, the ninth graders provided the leadership of the Junior High organizations. In addition to experience gained, skills and activities were made available to them partially through the larger scope of organizations provided for freshmen membership.



Frankie  
Adams



Mary  
Adams



Barbara  
Alexander



Martha  
Anderson



Thomas  
Baker



Bruce  
Barber



Dan  
Barnes



Robert  
Barnes



Carol  
Barnwell



David  
Bartlette



James  
Bates



Doris  
Baughn



Gary  
Beckman



Jim  
Benham



Carol  
Bennett



Doris  
Billings



Julie  
Blower



Dawn  
Bogart

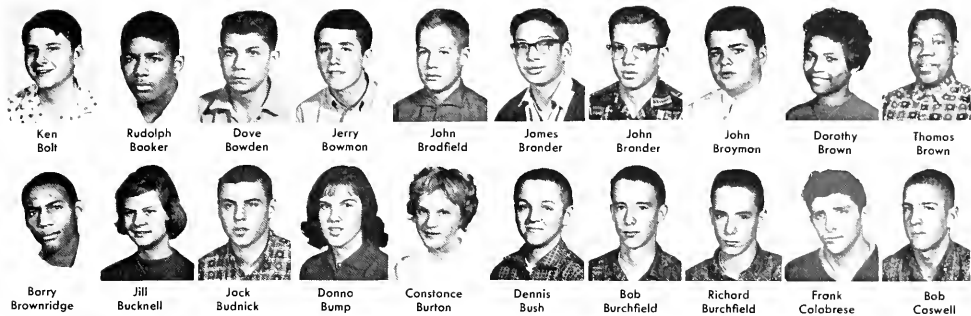


Roger  
Bolles



Suzanne  
Bolle





Fast action at the C-Club Basketball Game.





Judy Dinkel    Mary Dirkmaat    Bob Ditmar    Mary Dammerman    Ellen Drew    Bob Droese    David Druke    Jerry Dunn    Jim DuShone    Ron DuShone



Michael Eilers    Theron Elliott    Larry Ellison    Dawn Eurich    Esther Evans    Lorna Evans    Pamela Fernandez    Kathryn Fessenden    Charles Figures    Brenda Fill



Beverly Fish    Norman Fletcher    Dolores Fowler    James Frazee    Dick Gerritsen    Lalo Goachee    Charles Gartin    Mary Gravelyn    Bette Green    Wayne Grover



Peter Gruszka    Carl Gunderson    Jim Hall    Judy Hall    Bill Hansen    Dave Harkema    Bruce Harvey    Karl Hasmanis    Greichen Hawes    Jim Heller



Rusty Helms    Jeannette Hickok    James Hoebeke    Randolph Holt    Janet Howard    Pat Haeksma    Joll Hubka    Steve Hulo    Dave Huyser    Howard Inclenrock



Dianna Jackson    Kenneth Jansma    Bob Jenkins    Linda Jenkins    Bill Jess    Ruth Jobse    Dorothy Johnson    Hermastine Johnson    Susan Johnston    James Jones



Ann Kingsnorth    Sandy Kloet    Sharlene Koch    Carol Kaets    Rabert Kopen    Evans Koukios    Kendall Krieger    Dietrick Kruger    Joe Kuzniak    Ron Lombert



Patricia Landauer    Richard Landaver    Sharon Landis    Ed Lee    Foye Lindeman    Dick McAfee    Marilyn McDiormid    Leigh McLaughlin    Chuck Maddocks    Jan Magnusen



Our cafeteria is busy during all three lunch hours.





Miss Dodds helps her English students.



Reserve team Cheerleaders.



Don Watkins Roberto Weber Beverly Weekly Mary Whitman Tom Wildeboer Rosille Willison June Wisdom Dena Wolff Mike Wood Nancy Wotring



Allen Selby Frances Simon Marilyn Sinke Shirley Slager Karen Smith Laurie Smith Vera Smitter Elizabeth Snyder Judy Snyder Kenneth Sparks



Mary Spates Donald Stephens Betty Stites Karen Stackreef Aija Straumanis Kirk Strong Ildika Suba Moria Suba Carole Surfus Cecylia Szewiecki



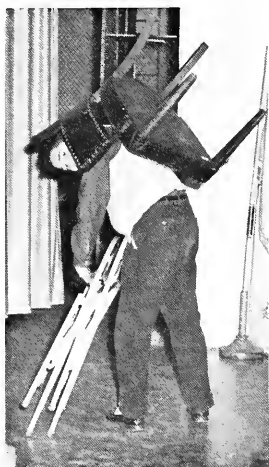
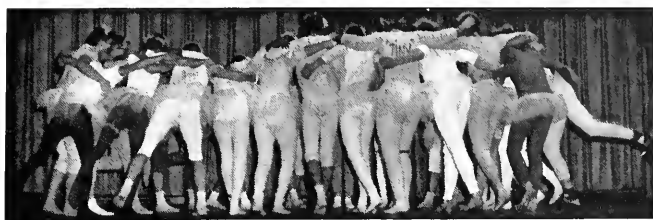
Sue Tabor Mary Taylor Gary Thomas Edna Mae Tilmon Don Tobin Gene Tobin Karen Tortellet Geneva Turnipseed Elizabeth Tyler Willie Tyler



Mark VanAllsburg Bonnie VanArtsen John Vandenberg Carol VanderMark Johnny VanOverbeek Don VanPutten Jahn VanZweden Miriam VanWieren Lena Vaught Marcio Veeneman



Trudy Vendhoen Larry Vergouwe Steven Vos John Wahlberg Carol Walenga Mary Washburn Caroline Zandstra Judy Zee





## TENTH GRADE

As tenth graders, these students flare forth by becoming active in senior high activities, thus preparing for their future. Having made more steady growth toward their educational goals, the sophomores have become more responsible people. This year, they have been able to choose from a greater number of social events, educational and service clubs, and athletic groups. Learning by doing in their new groupings, the sophomores have prepared themselves so that they in turn can offer leadership.



June  
Abbott

Myles  
Agnew

Lewis  
Ambrose

Jerome  
Anderson

Ora Lee  
Anderson



Mary  
Atwell

Sylven  
Babcock

Elijah  
Baker

Kenneth  
Baker

Shirley  
Barensen



John  
Bauw

Lula  
Beard

Anna  
Bergmanis

Beasley

Barb  
Bergmans



Rick  
Besemer

Suzanne  
Bieri

Ed  
Bignall

John  
Boersma

Richard  
Boice



Jack Bamon Joseph Baaker Pat Baamer Gary Bracewell Ilze Bradikis Jeff Brayman Sandy Bremmer William Brumit Sandi Buist Jackie Butler



Norbert Buzan Virgie Cain Maurice Callaway Ruby Carlisle Bette Carlson Tom Casares Mary Chilton Judy Chiverton Carole Civinskas Clesstle Clark



Gary Clark Linda Calamba Carol Canley Dick Cooper Carol Causina Susan Crabb Clara Crisp Fred Cummings Tom Cunningham Sandy Darling



Dan Delacher Marcia Delaof Jane DeMaagd Ellen Densmore Thomas Devlin Paul DeVries Scudder DeVries Cheryl DeYaug Pete DeYaug Martien Dank



Clarence Dawell James Dayle Marlene Drusinski Susie Durham Walter Durham Paulette Dyer Anita Edwards Ozalins Egils Sandra Engebrelsen Sue Eppe



Dale Fegel Ann Figures Susie Fletcher Arthur Flary Beverly Geargel Bill Gessler Bill Giberson Susan Gilner Wanda Glenn Terry Gaad



Geraldine Garez Bonnie Grady Dan Gray Charles Griffiths Bayd Grinwis Robert Graam William Graver Frank Hansma Daris Hardesty Jack Haveman



Greg Heidenga Euretha Hendricks Jerry Hendricks Viala Hendricks Hiawatha Hicks Lynn Hicks Patty Hicks Mary Hoebeke Daniel Hoekstra Marge Halewinski





Daniel  
Halmes

Daniel  
Holmes

Nancy  
Hudson

Jean  
Huizing

Vivian  
Irvin

Joseph  
Joarus

Sandra  
Jamison

Ernestine  
Jamison

Diane  
Janson

Barbara  
Johnson



Mary  
Johnson



Mildred  
Johnson



Joseph  
Jones



Norrine  
Jones



Ruthie  
Jones



Bob  
Jourdan



Valdemars  
Katelnieks



Eric  
Kiander



Carol  
Kidder



Tom  
Kiry



Roy Powers paces our Cross Country team to another first.



A party in foods class



Our student parking lot



Gloria  
Klyce

Gayle  
Koon

Yvonne  
Kotrch

Matthew  
Kukias

Karen  
Krombeen

Sandi  
Krummel

Jackie  
Lamb

Jim  
Laraled

Mildred  
Lash

Helen  
Lawless



Paul  
Leavenworth



Margaret  
Lewis



Brenda  
Lieberman



Marie  
McGhee



Rannie  
McKeever



Pat  
McKinney



Leawnie  
McNeal



Ellen  
Mackinnon



Kathie  
Marlett



Jeanne  
Martineau





Vilnis Meiers      Meri Meyer      Matt Miedema      Marilyn Miller      Robert Mahn      Ginni Moore      James Moore      Shannon Naughtan      Pam Nelson      Richard Nelson



C. J. Nink      William Nixon      Karen Pore      John Payne      Sue Peabody      Bill Perkins      Dan Pierce      Robert Piette      Agnes Palmanteer      Sandra Pritchard



Our faculty has an excellent view of the basketball games from our new pressbox.



Kathie Prusinski      Salme Pukk      Marge Pyne      Irene Quenooc      Dean Rathbun      Teri Reed      Dan Rhoads      Ed Ripmaster      Randy Robinson      Droytan Roger



Ruth Roaker      Jane Rouw      Karen Ryke      Lula Sollie      Steve Somvelson      Sue Schiefler      Walt Schuman      Elizabeth Scoby      Georgia Searl      James Sergejeus



Annel  
Simpson



Pearl  
Simpson



Michael  
Sinke



Lynne  
Sisson



Faith  
Smith



Sandy  
Smith



William  
Smith



Herbert  
Spears



George  
Stamas



Dianne  
Stannard



Dick  
Stien



Patricia  
Steinbus



Mary  
Stepke



Wayne  
Steward



Bab  
Stewart



Bill  
Staepker



Rose  
Starey



Sally  
Stressman



Joanne  
Suttarp



Gary  
Swiger



James  
Taylor



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Bob  
Teunis



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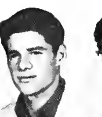
Floyd  
Tilmon



Marietta  
Thompson



Marietta  
Thompson



Greg  
Heidenga



Kay  
Targa



Anne  
Trembley



Richard  
Uhlmann



Duane  
Vaicuis



David  
VandenBos



Bob  
VanderHave



Mary  
VanderJagt



Henry  
VanderMaas



Belinda  
VanderMalen



Sue  
VanderSloot



Trudy  
VanderWeide



Marcia  
VanHouten



Pat  
VanSetters



David  
VanZweden



Larry  
Veeneman



Richard  
Verbrugge



Dzintru  
Vitins



Mara  
Vitins



Mary Beth  
Walsh



Louis  
Weatherbee



Albert  
Weatherwax



Paul  
Weeber



Robert  
Welch



Nancy  
Wendlandt



Ken  
Wesarick



Dan  
Westrate



Carol  
Whipple



Dennis  
Wilcox



Pat  
Wildeboer



Doug  
Wiley



Don  
Williams



Geri  
Williams



Gwendalyn  
Williams



Leonard  
Williams



Ruby  
Williams



Betty  
Wilson



Joe  
Wilson



Vernna  
Wilson



Mimi  
Wang



Meredith  
Wood



Calleen  
Yader



Dale  
Young





Treasurer

Boy Adviser,

President,

Secretary,

Girl Advisor,

Evo  
Fordos

Don  
Keegstra

Charles  
Holt

Judie  
Mertz

Connie  
Kozmo

## JUNIORS

Almost ready to take over as seniors, the Juniors, like a flame which seems to grow by leaps and bounds, have made much progress, but, again as the flame, they still waver as preparations for the future begin to mold. The Junior Class, organized to promote an understanding and closer relationship among Juniors through social activities and useful projects, as usual led a busy year with its many new experiences, responsibilities. Included among their events of the year were the following: holding potlucks, having money-making projects, giving Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets to needy families, participating in the Junior-Senior Prom, and purchasing class rings. This year was the first time that this class had been organized; many of its members at this time began to show their leadership through participation.



Dorothy  
Abbott



Ruth  
Ademo



Ann  
Alway



Bill  
Anderson



James  
Anderson



Carol  
Apostle



Ventis  
Arins



Tili  
Arak



Bob  
Ashley



Lize  
Avots



Betty  
Boker



Fred  
Barr



Ken  
Bartholomew



Tom  
Beaumont



Carol  
Benson



Dove  
Berrevoets



Patricia  
Billings



David  
Blower



Fran  
Boland



Kay  
Boomers



Donna  
Brogdon



Leo  
Broniewski



Beatrice  
Brown



Geraldine  
Brown



Jack  
Brown



Precious  
Brown



Robert  
Brown



Barbara  
Bryson



Lydia  
Burr



Erma  
Burkhalter



Maurice  
Calloway



Connie  
Calvetti



Edna  
Carlisle



Sherry  
Carlson



Bonnie  
Cavanaugh



Lija  
Celmins



Tim  
Chaney



Marva  
Clarke



Terry  
Cleveland



Kitty  
Cogan



Pat  
Colley



John  
Conley



Ruth  
Cornelisse



Julia  
Covey



Sharon  
Cross



Cheryl  
Curtis



Harold  
Darling



Marv  
Davis



Richard  
Dawson



Katie  
DeBerry



Larry  
DeBruyn



Tam  
DeHaan



Bernard  
DeMoogd



Fred  
Donker



Dave  
Doad



Jennifer  
Drew



Sue  
Drabny



Bill  
Druke



Pat  
Dufort



Bill  
Fairbanks



The Junior Girls' Chorus line in the first day of practice.



The Junior Boys are good dancers, too. Here they are demonstrating their cheerleading ability.



Fast action



Tania Flory Eva Fordas Sherrie Freedman Carol Fron Cheryl Gardner Diane Garnett Janice Geldhof Fred Gilhoran Eursell Goodson Geraldine Goree



Guntis Galhards Joanne Grochtrup Sharon Grady Virginia Graham Philip Grawburg Karen Groaters Mary-Beth Grummet Tom Gunn Arthur Gummo Kirby Hansen



Karen Hardesty Dick Hayes Tam Heukels Richard Hickok Muriel Hicks Bert Hitchcock Cloud Hogle Charles Holt Jerry Howe Susan Huizing



Maxine Huls Ruth Immik Eddie Jamison Pete Jensen Bob Johnson Jim Johnson Sandi Johnson Osman Kasper Cannie Kazma Dan Keegstra



John Kellogg Alva Roe Kibby Richard Knutsen Karen Koning Charles Kozarski Philip Kozarski Mary Krambeen Judy Krueger Marilyn Landis Aldis Lapins



Mirdza Lapins Bill Lapinski Dave Langworthy Donald Larabel Vicky Leonard Essie Likely Dana Lowe Dan McGrath Nancy McLean Ernestine McNeil



Ronald Mobin Kathie Maloley Mary Kay Martin Chuck Matheson Charyl Martinez Jo Ann Meitz Sandy Menken Fred Menka Carol Meringa Judie Mertz



Mildred Moncrief Becky Moore Sandy Morris Carale Muste Bill Nederman Jim Nixon Alan Norton Jackie Nutt Carol Orlowski James Otterbridge



Judy  
Peterman

Susan  
Plank

Ken  
Pierce

Janet  
Pisanelli

Pam  
Pietz



Sherry  
Pape

Roy  
Powers

Joe  
Rembert

Tommy  
Richardson

Moe  
Riekstins



Tani  
Roelofs

William  
Rolfe

Rager  
Root

Birdeon  
Russell

Ted  
Sampanes



Bryon  
Saur

Cheryl  
Sowle

Klaus  
Schagot

Ronald  
Schuur

Peggy  
Scoby



Roberta  
Searl

Nancee  
Seitz

Sharon  
Seitz

Ruth  
Sherwood

Sandi  
Singer



Pat  
Sinke

Bonnie  
Sholley

Mike  
Smith

Brian  
Snyder

Marilyn  
Spencer



Tim  
Sterken

Dave  
Stackreef

Mary  
Sweet

Shirley  
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Peggy  
Tunncliffe



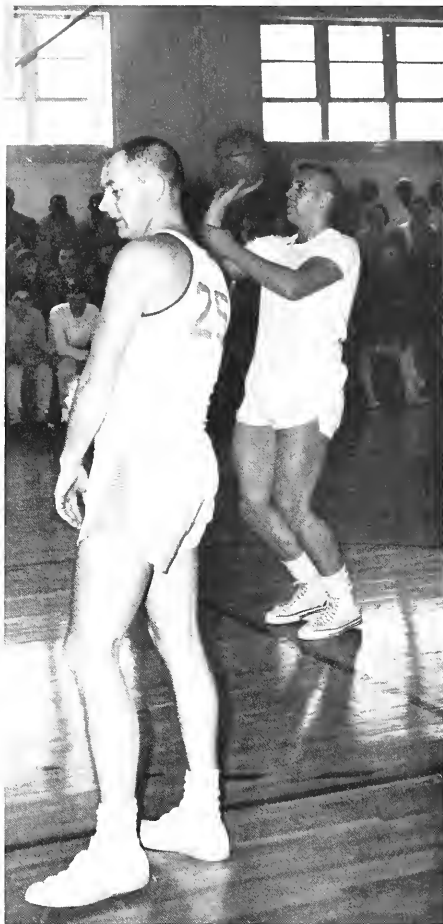
James  
Tysan

Jessica  
Upton

Ariel  
VanBelkum

Bab  
VandeMeer

Jim  
VandeVooren



Coach Shorhorn realizes that a basketball game requires his fullest attention.



Rams' Review in action.



Jim  
VanHaulen

Marge  
VanSweden

Dick  
Vornell

Josephine  
Vasquez

Dennis  
Vedejs

Petra  
Vaigt

Shirley  
Wagenaar

Alice  
Walker

Glen  
Walker

Vera  
Wallace



Adrian  
Warfield

Dole  
Weekly



Gloria  
Weston



Ruth  
Wheeler



Carol  
White



Edward  
White



Jim  
White



Alon  
Wilder



Larry  
Williams



Robert  
Williams



Don  
Wilson



Bette  
Winters



Ursula  
Wall



Becky  
Watring



Tom  
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Marcus  
Ziolkowski



Chuck Halt, Junior Class President, relaxes after a good lunch.



The cheerleaders pose as team members in a pep assembly.



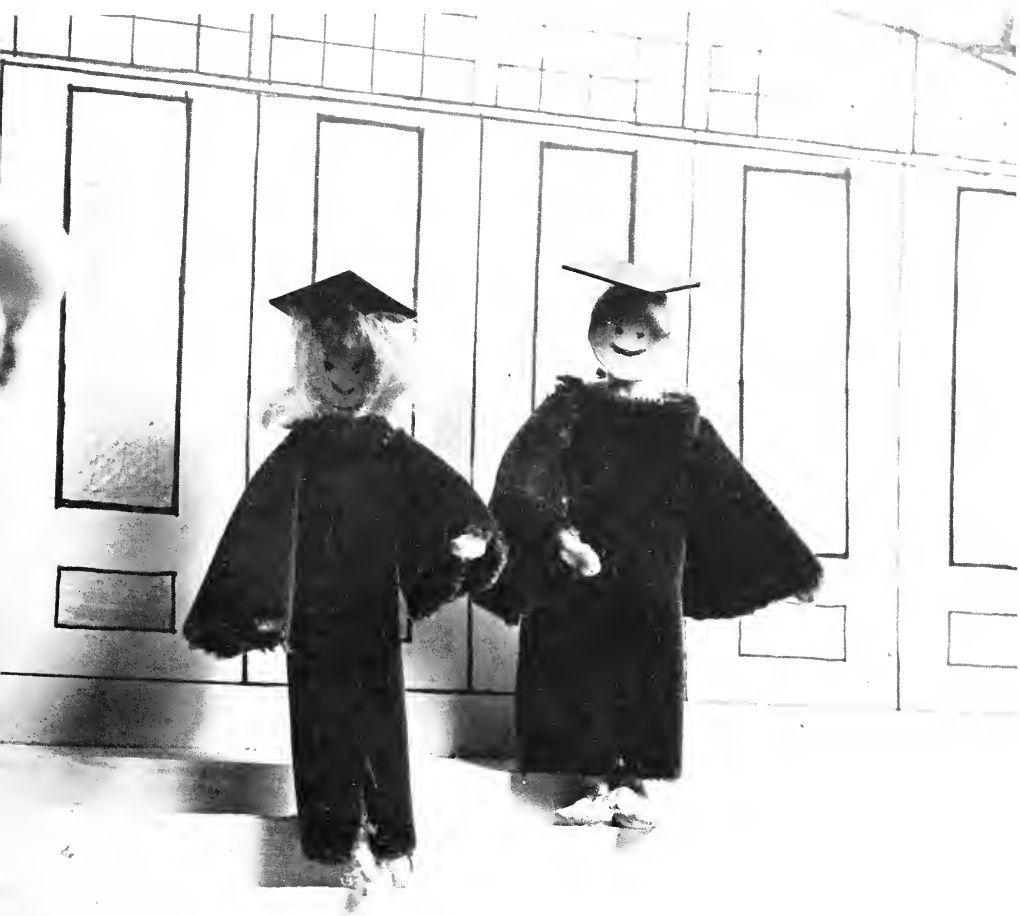




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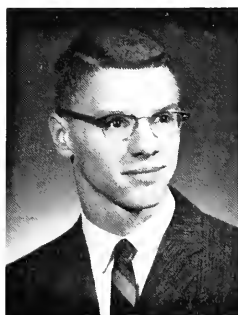




1st Row: Secretary, Laima Stede; Girl Advisor, Beth Wittenbach; Vice-President, Sydney Sawle. 2nd Row: Treasurer, Stan Hula; President, Terry Gravelyn; Boy Adviser, Pete Fuller.

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**Robert Harold Afton**  
1220 Plymouth, N.E.  
Hi-Y, C-Club, Senior Ush-  
ers, Track 1, 2, 3, 4, Cross  
Country 4



**Bessie Anderson**  
421 Cass Ave., S.E.  
English Workshop



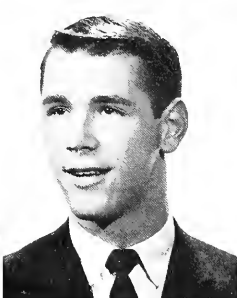
**Ilze Sue Arins**  
135 Honsen Ave., N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Honor Society, Agona,  
G.A.A., Junior Class Girl  
Advisor



**Brenda Kay Arndt**  
137 Lyon, N.W.  
G.A.A.



**Ruth Anne Arrison**  
115 Fuller Ave., S.E.  
Y-Teens, Big Brother-Big  
Sister, Red Cross, Sock and  
Buskin, Agona



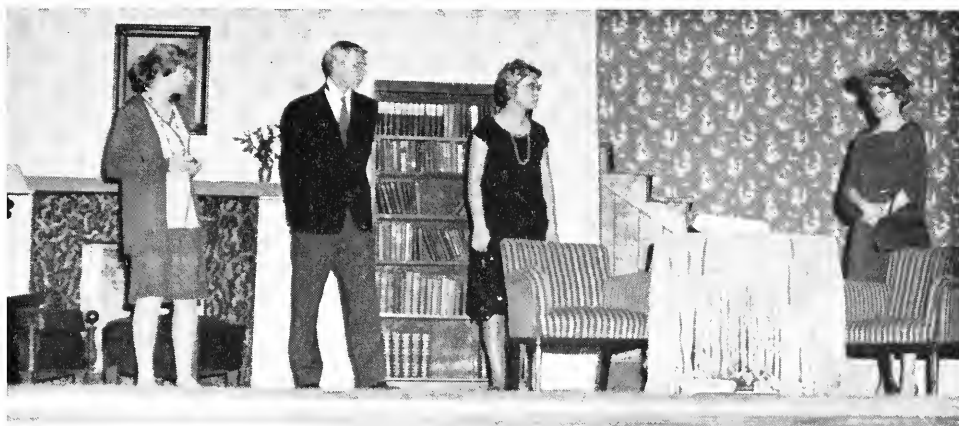
**Richard Parsons Atwell**  
152 Fuller Ave., S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Hi-Y Officer, C-Club, Helios  
Annual Photographer,  
Track 1, 2, 3, 4



**Joan Carol Bachman**  
153 Clifton Pl., N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Red Cross, Helios Annual  
Literary Editor, Agona,  
G.A.A. Secretary



**Dawn Elaine Badrick**  
740 Spring, N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Variety  
Show Participant, Sock and  
Buskin, Debate, Agona



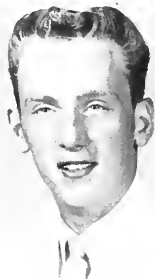
*Miss Brill appears on the scene in Cheaper by the Dozen.*



**Martin Baker, Jr.**  
 419 Cass, S.E.  
 Variety Show Participant,  
 C-Club, Pep Club Treasurer,  
 Track 2, Cross Country



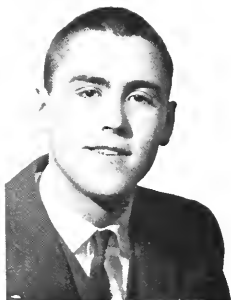
**Susan Beaumont**  
 137 Wallinwood Ave., N.E.  
 Senior Play Ticket Captain,  
 Sock and Buskin



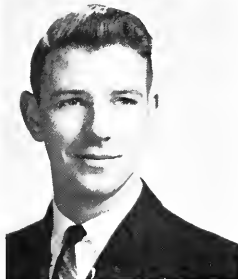
**Colvin Edward Baltutot**  
 725 Twelfth St., N.W.



**Condace Evelyn Bieri**  
 1226 Hope St., S.E.  
 Agona, Big Brother-Big  
 Sister Secretary, Ram's  
 Review 1, 2, Senior Play  
 Costume Chairman, Classical Club



**Fred Orcan Banister**  
 138 Fitzhugh, S.E.  
 Variety Show Participant,  
 Hi-Y, Baseball 2, 3, 4



**Scott Boogard**  
 447 College, S.E.

**William Borns**  
 143 Carlton Ave. S.E.

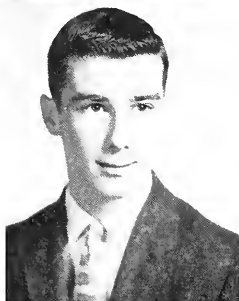
**Willie Tyrone Booker**  
 310 Finney, S.W.  
 Band, Football 1, 2, Baseball 1, Basketball 1, Track 1, 2



**Mary Lou Bowman**  
619 Innes St., N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Big Brother-Big Sister,  
Agona, G.A.A., Orchestra



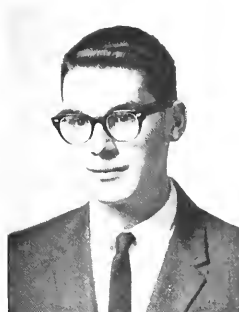
**Ruth Bredikis**  
450 Sinclair, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Red Cross, G.A.A.



**Richard Lynn Bressler**  
321 Diamond, S.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Band  
President, C-Club, Hi-Y  
Officer, Cross Country 3, 4



**Barbara Bruinsma**  
1855 Leonard St., N.E.



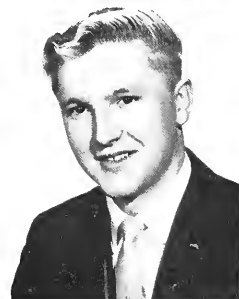
**Michael Gary Brunett**  
839 Eastern, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Senior High Usher, Hi-Y,  
C-Club, Golf 2, 3, 4



**Thomas D. Burr**  
422 Fountain, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Stage Crew, Football 1, 2,  
Swimming 3, Golf 3, 4



**Alice Louise Burton**  
56 Holmedene, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Helios Annual  
Circulation Manager,  
Agona, G.A.A.



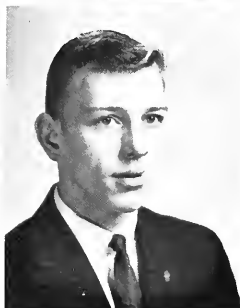
**Thomas Buzun**  
900 Flat, N.E.



**Bonnie Carol Cassis**  
1110 Princeton Ave., N.W.  
Orlando, Florida  
Agona, G.A.A., Classical  
Club



**Judith Lynn Churchard**  
1319 Mason St., N.E.



**Latvis J. Celmins**  
518 Fairview, N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Student  
Council, Honor Society  
President, Big Brother-Big  
Sister President, Sock and  
Buskin Vice-President



**Gloria Diane Claytor**  
428 Pleasant, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Red Cross, G.A.A.,  
Pep Club Secretary

### Capers '61







**Pearl Elaine Conrad**  
1561 Carlton Ave., N.E.  
Pep Club, Girls' Glee Club,  
A-capella Choir



**James Edward  
Leonard Crawford**  
517 James Ave., S.E.  
Big Brother-Big Sister, Pep  
Club, Football 1, 2, Track  
2, 3, 4, Cross Country Cap-  
tain



**James Kent Covert**  
1417 Grace, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
C-Club Secretary, Football  
1, 2, 3, 4, Track 1, 3, Swim-  
ming 4



**Moris Elaine Crow**  
1839 Crescent Drive, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Ram's Review, Sock and  
Buskin, Agona, A-capella  
Choir

#### Grand Finale





Try-outs for Senior Boys Chorus  
Line are under way.



**Richard Henry Curtis**  
1327 Walnut, N.E.



**Nancy Lorrain Dare**  
2557 Longstreet Ave., S.W.  
Honor Society, Ram's Review Typist, Agona, Pep Club, Classical Club



**David Frederick de Vries**  
121 Baynton Ave., N.E.  
Honor Society, Youth for Christ Vice-President, Senior Usher, Band, Orchestra



**Margaret Sue Doll**  
625 Windsor Terrace, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant, Y-Teens, Red Cross, A-cappella Choir



**Janice Deane Doot**  
323 Robey Place, S.E.  
Pep Club, G.A.A., Red Cross, Y-Teens, Band



**Judith Farah Dorman**  
1181 Buchanan St., S.W.

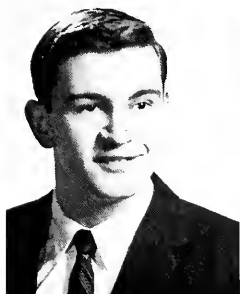


**Patty Ann Dubinshak**  
725 Lyon, N.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew, Big Brother-Big Sister, G.A.A. Officer, Hall Monitor, A-cappella Choir



**Mary Allice Dunn**  
1023 Chester St., S.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Agona, G.A.A., Spanish Club, Classical Club

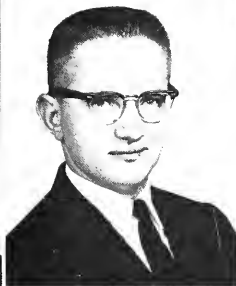
Leisure life back stage for Pete Fuller.



**Bruce Lee Dusendang**  
777 College, N.E.  
C-Club Officer, A-capella  
Choir, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Track 2, 3, 4, Swimming 3



**Iva Jean Dyer**  
54 Van Dine Place, N.E.



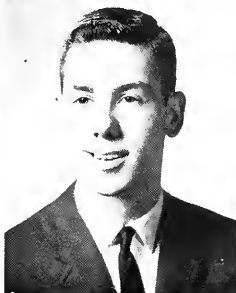
**George Juris Dzeguze**  
520 College, N.E.  
Honor Society, C-Club,  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Swim-  
ming 2, 3, 4, Chess Club  
Secretary and Treasurer



**Garry Robert Felty**  
1326 Bradford St., N.E.



**Beverly Ann Fuller**  
1534 Cedar St., N.E.  
Youth for Christ, G.A.A.



**Peter MacaFee Fuller**  
260 Paris, S.E.  
Junior Class President,  
Senior Class Boy Advisor,  
Variety Show Stage Crew  
Chairman, Helios Annual  
Photographer, Swimming  
Team Captain



**Russell Bruce Fyke**  
59 Grand, N.E.  
C-Club Vice-President,  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4, Baseball  
2, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, and  
Team Captain, Track 1, 3



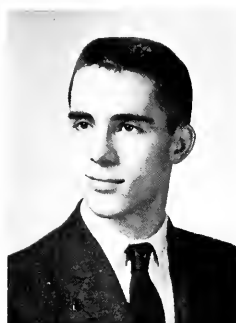
**Patricia Anne Gibbs**  
205 N. Lafayette  
Youth for Christ, Library  
Club, G.A.A., English  
Workshop



**Charlene Mae Gildner**  
1684 Ball Ave., N.E.

**Terry Cornelius  
Gravelyn**

1307 Mayfield, N.E.  
Senior Class President,  
C-Club Officer, Swing Band,  
Track 1, 2, 3, Cross Country  
2, 3, 4



**Darlene Joy Gogo**  
323 S. Division  
Y-Teens, Youth for Christ,  
English Workshop



**Karen Lee Green**

522 Paris St.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Y-Teens, Big Brother-Big  
Sister, Sock and Buskin,  
G.A.A.



**Charles Gooder**  
577 College, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
C-Club, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Track 1, A-capella Choir



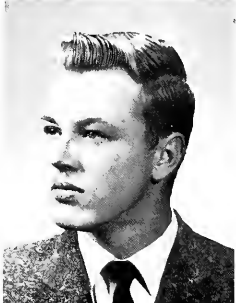
**Jimmie Swanson Griffis**  
646 Logan, S.E.  
Football 2, 3; Track 4;  
Band, Senior Pep Club,  
Occupational Training



**Patricia Ann Gorman**  
741 Clancy, N.E.  
Library Club, Sock and  
Buskin, G.A.A., Spanish  
Club, Junior Achievement



**Raymond Groom**  
1426 Mason St., N.E.  
Occupational Training





After being crowned by Mr. Ramani, Queen Laima makes her acceptance speech.

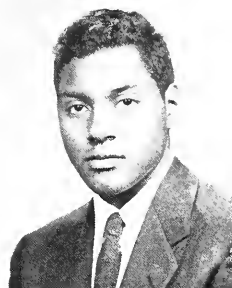


**Linda Sue Grooters**  
609 Windsor, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Sock and Buskin,  
Agona, G.A.A.

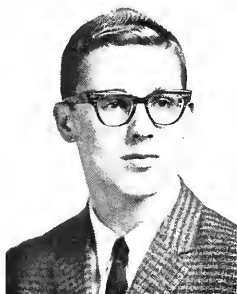
**Nancy Jane Gunton**  
221 Mayfield, N.E.  
Ram's Review Typist,  
Agona Secretary, G.A.A.,  
Refreshment Chairman for  
Homecoming and Boy's  
Heaven



**Errol Allen Harvey**  
41 Buckley St., S.W.  
Student Council, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Pep  
Club Vice-President



**Gordon Haskins**  
1040 Helen St., N.E.  
Student Council, Honor  
Society President, Red  
Cross, English Workshop,  
Track 1

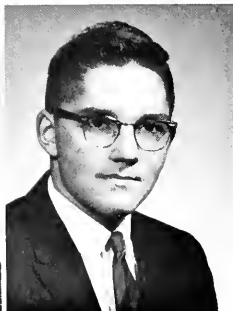
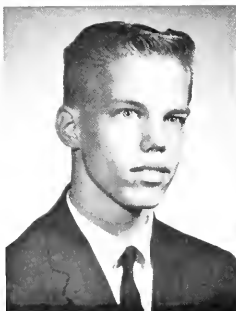


**Augustine Herth**  
701 Prospect, S.E.



**Donald Allen  
Highhouse**

732 College, N.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Orchestra, Band, Swing  
Band



**Willard John Hoebeke**  
767 College, N.E.

Senior Play Stage Manager,  
Math Workshop, Hall  
Monitor, Physical Education  
Assistant, Swimming  
2, 3

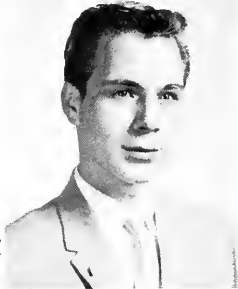


**Thomas John Hoffman**

328 Jefferson, S.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Prom Committee Chairman,  
C-Club, Track 4, Swimming  
2, 3, 4, Manager 1

**Wolfgang Guenter  
Hoppe**

1121 Lyon St., N.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Junior Achievement, A-cappella Choir



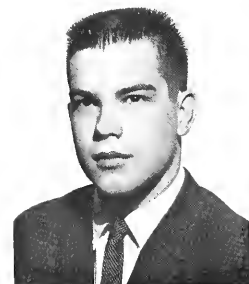
**Roxanne Hord**

558 Madison, S.E.  
Cheerleader, Prom Committee  
Chairman, Variety Show  
Participant, Senior Play  
Cast, Sock and Buskin



**Linda Louise Hubka**

568 Madison, S.E.  
Honor Society, Sock and  
Buskin, Debate, Agona,  
Senior Usher

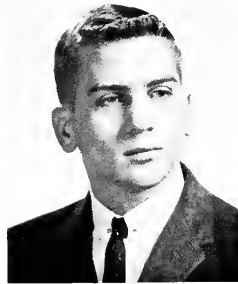


**Jan Robert Huizing**

130 Mack Ave., N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Red Cross,  
Football 1, 2, Swimming 2,  
Junior Achievement

**Stanley Joseph Hula**

721 Burke Ave., N.E.  
Senior Class Treasurer,  
Senior Play Ticket Committee  
Chairman, Variety Show  
Participant, Hi-Y Treasurer,  
Senior Usher





**Judith Ann Huyser**  
228 Mayfield, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, G.A.A., Sock and  
Buskin, Memorial Commit-  
tee



**Lois Margaret Jenks**  
823 Paris, N.E.  
Honor Society, Ram's Re-  
view Editor-in-chief, Classi-  
cal Club President, Agona,  
English Workshop

**Albert Johnson**  
515 Osgood S.E.  
2nd team football



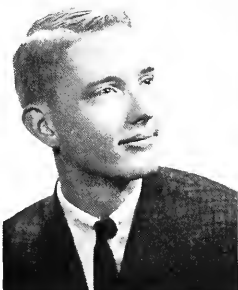
**Marcia Dione Johnson**  
259 Diamond, S.E.  
Agona Officer, Honor So-  
ciety, Motto Committee  
Chairman, Orchestra, Ram's  
Review Photography Co-  
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**Raoul Ann Johnson**  
468 Fountain, N.E.  
Student Council, Honor So-  
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Editor, Agona, Athletic  
Secretary



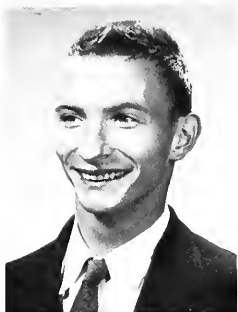
**Helen Rebecca Jones**  
766 College Ave., N.E.  
Agona, G.A.A.



**James Russell Jones**  
749 Livingston, N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Variety  
Show Participant, Honor  
Society, Red Cross Treas-  
urer, Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4



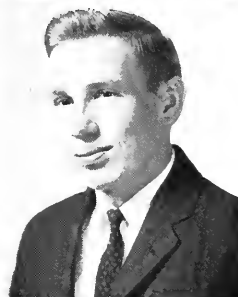
**Bruce Lee Jorgensen**  
1051 Lyon St., N.E.  
Student Council Treasurer,  
Honor Society Officer, C-  
Club, Swing Band, Swim-  
ming 1, 2, 3, 4



**William L. Keilholtz**  
28 Rose, S.W.  
Senior Class Secretary,  
Helping Hand Club, President



**Baiba Kerpe**  
631 Livingston, N.E.  
Red Cross, Sock and  
Buskin, Agona, G.A.A.



**Clare Kidder**  
626 Lafayette, N.E.



**Varis Klavins**  
131 Houseman, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Honor Society, Hi-Y, Math  
Workshop, Baseball 1



**Barbara Jean Knight**  
134 Fuller Ave., S.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Y-Teens, Agona, G.A.A.,  
Senior Play Committee



**Yvonne Elizabeth  
Krueger**  
1324 Lewison, N.E.  
Agona, G.A.A., English  
Workshop



**Ruth Ann Kuiper**  
1226 Bradford St., N.E.  
Honor Society, Big Brother-  
Big Sister, Red Cross, Sock  
and Buskin, Agona



**Karen Louise Lamb**  
541 E. Fulton  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Sock and Buskin,  
G.A.A., Senior Play Com-  
mittee Chairman





**Vivian Anne Lambeth**  
45 Buckley St., S.W.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Student Council, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Band,  
G.A.A.



**Alexandra Sue Lang**  
447 College, S.E.  
Senior Class Social Chair-  
man, Variety Show Partici-  
pant, Boys' Chorus Line  
Director, Sock and Buskin



**Beverly Carmen Layne**  
537 Crescent, N.E.  
Senior Play Program Chair-  
man, Senior Play Partici-  
pant and Flip-Card Com-  
mittee Chairman, English  
Workshop, Banner Bearer



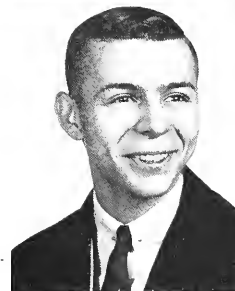
**Rosemary Lee**  
37 Auburn, N.E.  
Youth for Christ, G.A.A.



**Richard Dennis Letts**  
411 Union Ave., S.E.  
Senior Play Student Direc-  
tor, Variety Show Partici-  
pant, Student Council, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Red  
Cross



**Leslie MacIver**  
222 Warren, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
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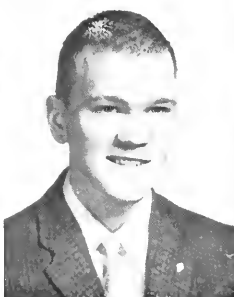
**Burrwell James  
McDiarmid**  
340 Cass Ave., S.E.  
Boys' Glee, English Work-  
shop, Pep Club



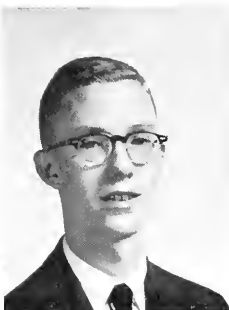
**Corine McDonald**  
20 Pleasant, S.W.



**Marilyn Carole  
Malfroid**  
37 Mack Ave., N.E.  
Variety Show Program  
Chairman, Sock and Buskin,  
G.A.A., Pep Club, Spanish  
Club Secretary



**Dana Manning**  
544 Fairview, N.E.



**Allen Dana Marsh**  
540 Avalon Terr., S.E.  
Variety Show Emcee, Hi-Y  
Vice-President, Red Cross  
President, Swing Band



**Barbara Ruth Merritt**  
105 Fuller Ave., S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
A-capella Choir



**Tom Meyer**  
619 Windsor Terrace  
Senior Play Cast, Variety  
Show Participant



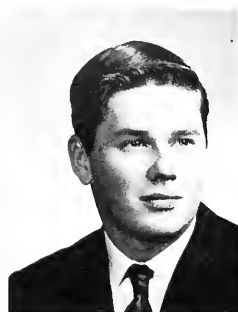
**Ronald Bruce Miller**  
130 College, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Student Council, C-Club,  
Ram's Review Staff, Golf  
1, 2, 3

**Marcia Lynn Millhaupt**  
203 Benjamin, S.E.  
G.A.A.

**Earlene Joyce Moore**  
1331 Walnut, N.E.  
Class Color Committee,  
Senior Usher, Y-Teens  
President, Student Council,  
Ram's Review Staff

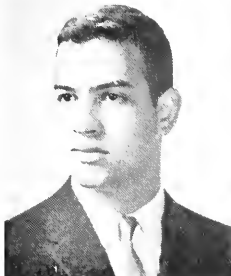
**Douglas Mac Moss**  
3886 Bradford, N.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Red Cross, Track

**John David Mattashed**  
1032 Vernon, N.E.  
Senior Play Ticket Com-  
mittee Chairman, Track 1,  
Swimming 1, 2, 3

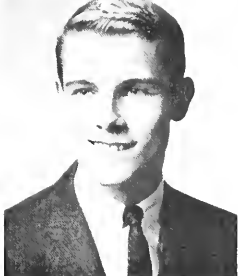




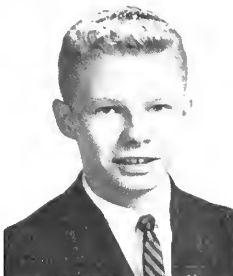
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20 Fuller, S.E.  
Hi-Y, C-Club, Youth for  
Christ, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Basketball 1, 2, 3



**Leonard Chester Myers**  
342 Morris, S.E.  
Football 1, 2



**Richard Wilfred Nelson**  
206 Diamond Ave., N.E.  
Hi-Y President, C-Club,  
Swing Band, Track 1, 2, 3,  
4, Cross Country 3, 4, Cap-  
tain



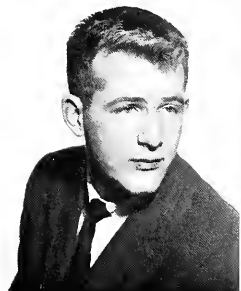
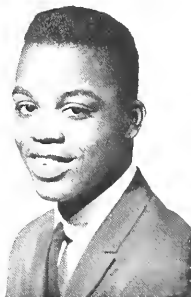
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314 Irving, S.E.  
Senior Play Committee  
Chairman, Variety Show  
Participant, Football 1, 2,  
Track 1, 2, 3



**Helen Peegel**  
1816 Fourth St., N.W.  
Senior Play Cast, Honor  
Society, Helios Annual  
Business Manager, G.A.A.,  
Agona Officer

**Gravelle Lenion Pierre**

747 Logan  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Football 1, Track 2, Swim-  
ming 3, 4



**Gerold Robert Poe**  
1047 Wealthy, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Football, Track, Swimming



**James Edward Porter**  
407 Hillmount Apt., S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
C-Club, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basket-  
ball 1, 2



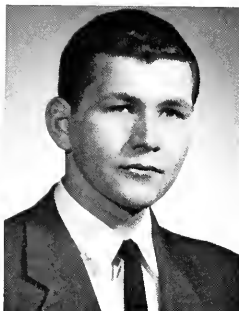
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117 Mack, N.E.  
Red Cross, Football 1, Oc-  
cupational Training



**Georgann Elaine Pugh**  
627 Coit, N.E.  
Transferred from Vermont-  
ville High School. Youth  
for Christ, Newspaper Staff,  
Majorette



Our Senior Class President, Terry, can't wait for "C" lunch hour so Mrs. Herron's cooking class furnishes him with a light snack.



**Valdis Purins**

1533 Cole Ave., N.E.  
RAM'S REVIEW Art Editor, Boys' Glee, Football 2, 3, 4, Track 3, 4, Manager 2, Swimming 4

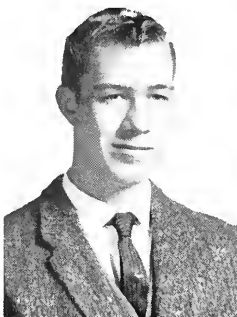


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621 College, N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Variety Show Participant, Red Cross, Orchestra, Audio-Video Staff



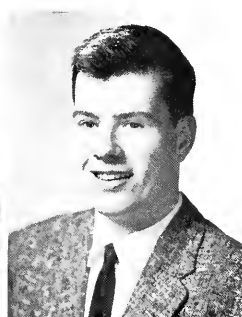
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843 Lyon, N.E.



**Roger Allen Reidsma**  
108 Mack Ave., N.E.  
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326 Hastings, N.E.

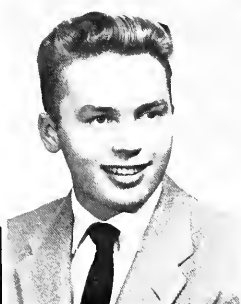


**Donn R. Ringold**  
123 Ransom, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant, Boys' Glee Club, A-capella Choir



**Thomas Wayne  
Ripmaster**

446 Sinclair, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
C-Club, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Captain, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Captain, Basketball 1, 2, 3,  
4



**Lester Ritter**

446 Union Ave., N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Band



**Marilyn Kay Rosenberry**

257 Lafayette, S.E.  
Youth for Christ



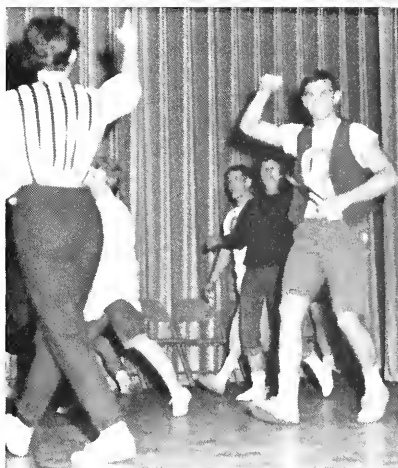
**Gayle Anne Ross**

623 Clancy, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, G.A.A., Sock and  
Buskin, Athletic Secretary



Dick and Mr. Beattie relax be-  
tween club pictures.

Below: Referee Roxanne calls a  
foul on Bruce Dusendang.



**Susan Jane Russell**

709 Fountain St., N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Student  
Council, Homecoming As-  
sembly Chairman, Cheer-  
leader, Sock and Buskin

**Linda Susan Samuelsan**

2150 Romance Dr., N.E.  
Class Prophecy, Senior  
Play Cast, Spanish Club  
Treasurer, Agona, Ram's  
Review Assistant Editor  
and Fashion Editor



**Jacqueline Yvonne  
Sanders**

914 Jefferson Ave., S.E.  
Class Flower Chairman,  
Sock and Buskin, G.A.A.  
Vice-President, Orchestra,  
Pep Club Secretary



**Sydney Kathleen Sawle**  
300 Eureka, S.E.  
Junior and Senior Class  
Vice-President, Memorial  
Day Chairman, Senior Play  
Committee Chairman, Va-  
riety Show Participant,  
Sock and Buskin

**Horst Schagat**  
423 Fairview, N.E.



**Katherine Schippa**  
1036 Lilac, N.E.

**Nelva Schippa**  
1036 Lilac, N.E.



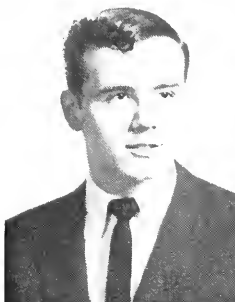
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1403 Walnut, N.E.

**Mike Shalander**  
1216 Ellsmere, N.E.



**Earl Harry Slovinski**  
853 Spring, N.E.  
Senior Class President, Stu-  
dent Council, Helping Hand  
Club President, Store Ad-  
vertisement Committee  
Chairman

**Jon Signor**  
955 Maris Ct., S.E.



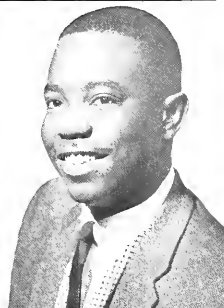
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707 Fairview, N.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Variety  
Show Participant, Honor  
Society Secretary, Y-Teens,  
Ram's Review Junior High  
Editor and Head Reporter



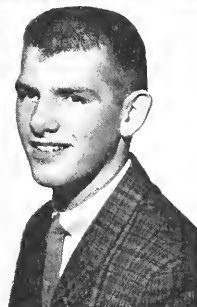
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Pep Club, G.A.A.



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642 Sherman, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Pep Club, Big Brother-Big  
Sister Vice-President, Foot-  
ball 1, 2, 3, Basketball 1, 2,  
3



**Richard Smith**  
1340 Matilda, N.E.



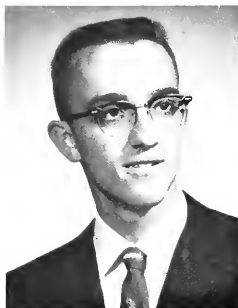
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Variety Show Participant,  
Hi-Y, C-Club, Track 1,  
Baseball 3, 4

**Shirley Southerland**  
501 Sinclair, N.E.



**Laima Stede**  
103 Newberry, N.E.  
Variety Show Chorus Line  
Director, Senior Class Sec-  
retary, Helios Annual Ad-  
vertising Manager, Agona,  
G.A.A.





**Marvin Wayne  
Stephens**

1254 Lewison, N.E.  
Honor Society, Youth for  
Christ, Big Brother-Big  
Sister, Cross Country 2,  
Baseball 1, 2



**Denny William Stepke**

923 Fairmount, S.E.  
Hall Monitor, Baseball 3, 4



**Patricia Ann Stoecker**

607 Hawthorne, N.E.  
Prom Co-Chairman, Assistant  
Student Director of Variety  
Show, Helios Annual  
Photography Co-ordinator,  
Agona, G.A.A.



**Maris Straumanis**

447 Wealthy, S.E.  
Honor Society, C-Club,  
Ram's Review Staff, Track  
3, 4



**Martha Katherine  
Swartz**

1245 Mayfield Ave., N.E.  
Y-Teens, Youth for Christ  
Secretary, Red Cross,  
Agona, G.A.A.



**Eileen Marie Swenson**

122 Fairbanks, N.E.  
Senior Play Committee  
Chairman, Y-Teens, Bowling  
League Handicap - 68



Terry and Dick try their skills at dancing as  
the judges look on.





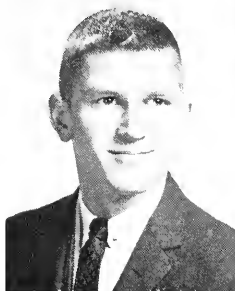
**Roger Thomas Swiger**  
914 Lyon St., N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Senior Usher, C-Club,  
Track 1, 2, Tennis 3, 4



Helios supporters cheer for their annual at the Helios kick-off assembly.

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340 Cherry, S.E.

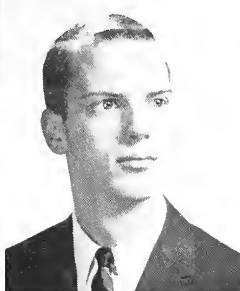
**John J. Ten Elshof**  
66 Benjamin, N.E.  
Senior Play Committee  
Chairman, Hi-Y, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Debate,  
Baseball 1



**Joyce Thompson**  
1003 Diamond, N.E.



**William Donald Thompson**  
551 Fountain, N.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
C-Club, Band, Tennis 1, 2,  
3, 4

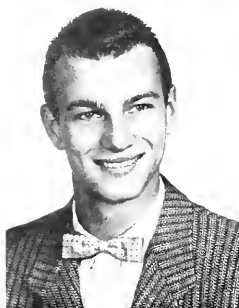


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650 Sherman St., S.E.  
Red Cross, G.A.A., Class  
Flower Committee, Variety  
Show Ticket Committee





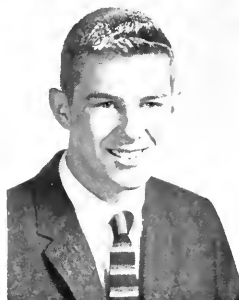
**Richard Vander Ark**  
507 Livingston, N.E.  
C.Club, Youth for Christ  
President, Big Brother-Big  
Sister, Basketball



**Roger Van Oosten**  
904 Zeeland Ct., N.E.  
Honor Society, Chess Club,  
Track 3



**William Henry  
Vander Maas**  
134 Diamond, S.E.



**Kenneth Van Solkema**  
871 Burke, N.E.  
Variety Show Stage Crew,  
Senior Play Committee  
Chairman, Hall Monitor



**Kathryn Elaine  
Vandermolen**  
125 Fuller Ave., S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens Secretary, Helios  
Annual Head Typist, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Agona



**Esther Van Sweden**  
701 Coit Ave., N.E.  
Honor Society, Youth for  
Christ, Red Cross, Agona,  
G.A.A.



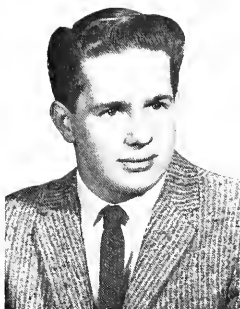
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549 Morris, S.E.  
Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Helios Annual Art  
Editor, Future Teachers'  
Club



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701 Coit Ave., N.E.  
Honor Society Treasurer,  
Ram's Review Staff, Agona,  
G.A.A., Classical Club Sec-  
retary



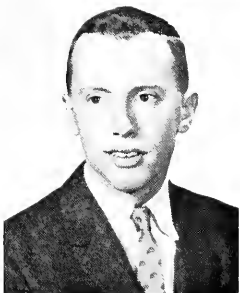
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261 Union, S.E.  
Y-Teens, Sock and Buskin,  
G.A.A., Pep Club, Hall  
Hall Monitor



**Jack Arthur Verbrugge**  
140 Benjamin, N.E.  
Band, Football 1, Track 1,  
2, 3



**Margaret Jean  
Vermaire**  
1454 Hope, S.E.  
Variety Show Ticket Com-  
mittee Chairman, Student  
Council Secretary, Honor  
Society, Red Cross Vice-  
President, Agona President



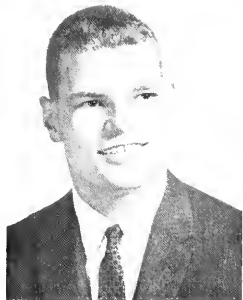
**Carl Thomas Walsh**  
1213 Lewison, N.E.  
Hi-Y, Football 2, Track 2,  
3, 4, Hall Monitor, Senior  
Play Stage Crew



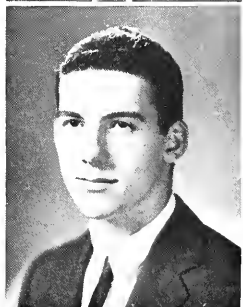
**Roger Weekley**  
442 Charles, S.E.  
Hi-Y, C-Club, Red Cross,  
Track 1, 2, 3, Cross Coun-  
try 2, 3



**Marcia Whitman**  
1043 Lyon, N.E.



**Terry Lee Wicking**  
636 Three Mile Rd., N.E.  
Junior Class Treasurer, Va-  
riety Show Participant, C-  
Club Officer, Football 1, 2,  
3, 4, Track 1, 2, 3, 4



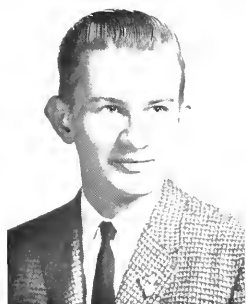
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430 Coit, N.E.



**Garth Williamson**  
615 College, N.E.

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618 Logan St., S.E.  
C-Club President, Head  
Senior Usher, Pep Club  
President, Football 1, 2, 3,  
4, Track 1, 2, 3, 4

**Terresa Ann Wilson**  
34 Caroline Pl., N.E.  
Youth for Christ, Ram's  
Review Staff



**Larry Dale Witcop**  
1911 Collins, S.E.  
Senior Play Cast, Big  
Brother-Big Sister, Ram's  
Review Staff, Pep Club



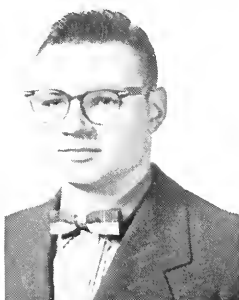
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109 Mayfield, N.E.  
Senior Class Girl Advisor,  
Honor Society Secretary,  
Helios Annual Editor, Jun-  
ior Class Secretary, Agona

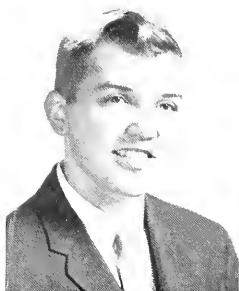
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449 Casimer Ave., N.E.  
Pep Club, Y-Teens, Agona,  
G.A.A.

**Vern Allen Yetman**  
442 Coit, N.E.  
Youth for Christ, Audio-  
Visual Staff, Noon Movie  
Operator

**John Zalans**  
44 Lafayette, N.E.  
Senior Class Treasurer,  
Helping Hand Club

**David Jeffrey Zehe**  
40 Union, N.E.  
Student Council President,  
Honor Society Vice-Presi-  
dent, Hi-Y, Red Cross,  
Swing Band





**Nelson Henry Dupy**

1015 Chester, S.E.

Variety Show Participant  
and Stage Crew, Senior  
Play Stage Crew, Swing  
Band, A-capella Choir



**Terri Lee Rybski**

301 College, N.E.

Variety Show Participant,  
Y-Teens, Sock and Buskin  
President, A-capella Choir,  
Senior Play Executive and  
Ticket Committee



**Benjamin Quentin**

**Weeber**

321 Michigan Pl., N.E.  
C-Club, Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Basketball 2, Track 1, 2, 3,  
4, Swimming 2

## Summer School graduates

### Seniors without pictures

**Dave Fegel**

533 Fuller Ave., N.E.

**Annie Lee Fulton**

430 La Grave, S.E.

**Gerald Douglas Koch**

238 Carroll St., S.E.

Transferred from Roosevelt  
High School, St. Louis, Mo.,  
Variety Show Participant,  
Orchestra, Student Council,  
Debate, Math Workshop

**Milynn Kraft**

**Micheal Naughton**

641 Innes, N.E.

Variety Show Stage Crew,  
A-capella Choir, Football 1,  
Baseball 1

**Jerry Nelson**

461 Pleasant, S.W.

Variety Show Ticket Com-  
mittee, Football 1, 2, 3,  
Baseball 1, 3, Basketball 1,  
2, Track 2, 4

**David Porrish**

120 Barclay, N.E.

**Aldis Purins**

1043 Baldwin, S.E.

Math Workshop, Football  
2, Track 2

**Richard Steffenson**

223 Union, N.E.

**David Welch**

826 Fairmount, S.E.

### CLASS SONG

Now our high school days are over,  
And our graduations near;  
Now the time has come to end our fun  
And to leave our school so dear.  
We'll remember tomorrow  
All the things we do today,  
Your guidance we'll carry  
As we go along our way.  
We will carry with us always —  
As the years go rolling by —  
All the mem'ries dear  
Of our high school years  
At dear old Central High.

Music by —  
Gerald Koch

Words by —  
Stan Hula  
Allen Marsh

### CLASS COLORS

Light Blue and Pearl

### CLASS FLOWERS

Blue and White Bachelor Buttons

### Class Motto

We lay today the foundation of tomorrow.

### CLASS POEM

The young generation,  
A lost world of its own  
Suffering, searching  
Hoping, working  
Working toward that one great goal  
That ties all mankind into one  
Truth  
The truth of freedom  
Of love  
The truth of brotherhood  
And Peace  
Peace, that will bring  
Into this world of strife  
True humanity  
Which will raise man's soul  
Purify his thoughts  
Elate his being  
Bring him at last closer  
To his God

Written by —  
Helen Peege

# FOOTBALL RALLY

The pictures recall the football season, the games and pep rally.



Cheerleaders in a huddle

Student Policeman controls the crowd at the pep rally



City Police patrolling at a football game

# HOMECOMING

The Homecoming Dance, one of the biggest events of the year, was held on Thursday, October 20, 1961, at Blythefield Country Club. The Class of 1961 chose as their king and queen Ron Miller and Laima Stede, each of whom was attended by courts of Four. Preceding the dance was the football game in which we defeated Union 25 to 13, and the half time ceremony in which there was the float for the court, a new addition this year.



Queen; Laima Stede, King; Ron Miller.

Queen; Laima Stede, King; Ron Miller, Patti Johnson, Jim Covert, Sue Russell, Russ Fyke, Margaret Vermaire, Jeff Zehe, Stoepker, Pete Fuller.







The entire "Cheaper by the Dozen" cast

## "CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN"

This year, the Senior Class chose as its play "Cheaper by the Dozen," a three-act comedy which was held on November 17, 18, and 19. The play, sponsored and directed by the Seniors with the help of teachers and two seventh graders, who were part of the cast, was a very successful one.



I remember when . . .

### Senior Play — CHEAPER BY THE DOZEN

Cast	
Mr. Gilbreth	Latvis Celmins
Mrs. Gilbreth	Inguna Silavs
Ann Gilbreth	Linda Samuelson
Frank Gilbreth	Jim Jones
Ernestine Gilbreth	Roxanne Hord
Lillian Gilbreth	Sue Russell
Martha Gilbreth	Dawn Badrick
Bill Gilbreth	Dave Quint
Fred Gilbreth	Jan Huizing
Dan Gilbreth	Steven Lachniet
Jackie Gilbreth	Fred Stewart
Joe Scales	Richard Bresseler
Dr. Burton	Tom Meyer
Mrs. Fitzgerald	Helen Peegel
Larry	Larry Witcop
Miss Brill	Mary Dunn
Student Director	Richard Letts



## VETERAN'S DAY

The Armed Services Day program, a traditional and beautiful one at Central, is a memorial service in honor of those from Central living and dead who served in World War I, World War II, the Korean War, or European Occupations. Started in 1922, it has continued over the years. Armed Services Day is observed on the eleventh of November.





## BOYS' HEAVEN



The annual "Boys' Heaven" dance, a dance for which the girls invite the boys, was held December 16 in the girls' gym and was a very successful occasion.



## CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY



Christmas every year is marked by the annual Christmas Pageant in which there was singing by the choirs and art work by the art department. The Senior Orchestra provided the music, and Miss DeYoung had charge of the acting. The pageant this year was held the nineteenth of December.

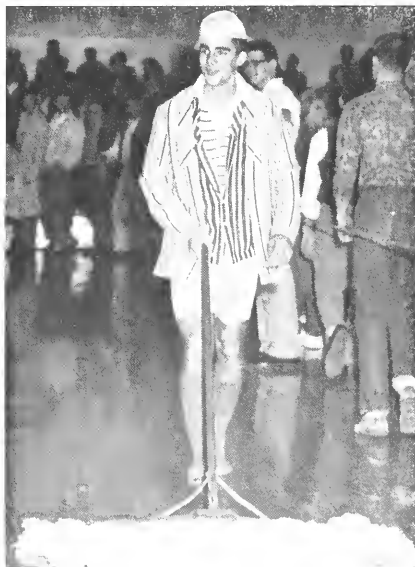




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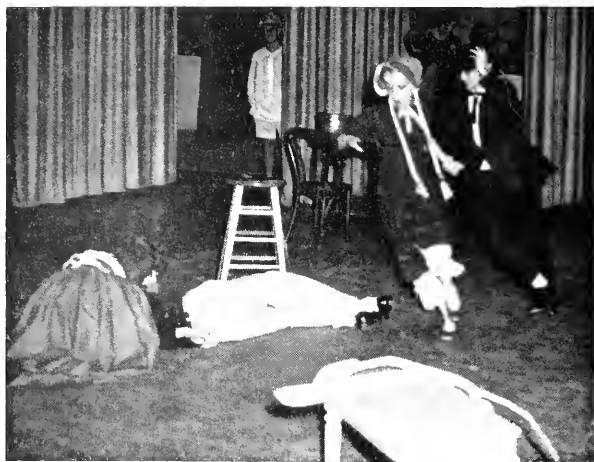


Score! Score! Such was often heard at our basketball games. We had a successful year taking second place in the city league and district championship.



## CAPERS '61

The Variety Show or Capers '61, held March 23 and 24, was a well done show with much work and good talent being used. The acts included such talents as dancing, singing, playing instruments, comedies, and pantomimes.



# HONORS

Gordon Scott Cup.....	
Gordon Scott Certificates.....	
Tri-Honor Cup .....	
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Samuel R. Upton Award .....	
Mary Amberg Award .....	
David Clatworthy Memorial Award .....	
Suffola Cup .....	
Agona Cup .....	
American Legion Award .....	
S.A.R. Medal .....	
D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award .....	
Class of 1926 Award .....	
Ralph Conger Award .....	
Student Council Honor Point Keys .....	
English Department Awards:	
Excellence in English Award .....	
Carrie J. Heaton Award .....	
National Society of Colonial Daughter's Award .....	
Clay Award .....	
Foreign Language Department Awards .....	
Latin Awards	
Anna S. Jones Awards .....	
Mary R. Powers Award .....	
Spanish Awards	
First Year Spanish .....	
Second Year Spanish .....	
History Department Award .....	
Mathematics Department Awards	
Math Club Award .....	
Edwin F. Snell Award .....	
Science Department Award .....	
Speech Department Awards:	
Earl Munshaw Oratory Award .....	
Ethel K. Nistle Award .....	
Forensic Awards .....	
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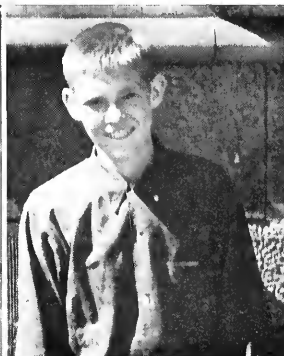
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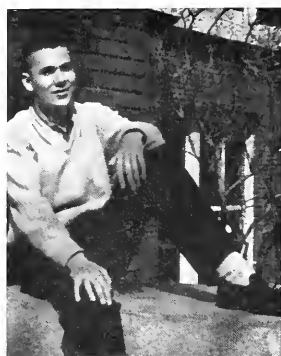


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# ADVERTISEMENTS

## KAY'S PHARMACY

200 Union, N.E.

Sydney is going to have one of Patty's specials — a refreshing coke.



## CENTRAL RADIO AND TV

637 Michigan, N.E.

Pat and Stan like this streamlined model.



Our photographer Dick has convinced Jaan that this camera is a good buy.

## THE CAMERA SHOP

22 Division, N.E.



Bob has decided to paint the town.

## FULTON HEIGHTS HARDWARE

1311 Fulton, N.E.



Ilze and Inny are selecting their spring wardrobe.

### THE MODERNE SHOP

22 Fountain, N.W.

### VAN DYKE STUDIO

107 Pearl, N.W.

Ruth and Laima are looking at Yvonne's senior picture.



Laima and Gorden are receiving their bundle of dry-cleaned clothes.

### BAXTER LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS

747 Fountain, N.E.



The twins, Esther and Lois, have found a fabulous place to purchase gifts.

### FOX'S JEWELERS

83 Monroe, N.W.



Katie finds telephone work both enjoyable and rewarding.

**BELL  
TELEPHONE COMPANY**

104 Division Ave., N.E.



**PRINTING  
ARTS**

150 Bostwick, N.E.

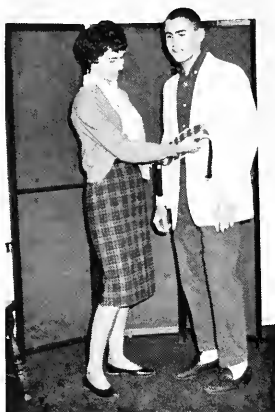
Two members of the Helios staff, Helen and Alice, are looking at the print being used for our annual.



Pete is looking at the flowers that Linda has chosen to buy.

## **CRESCENT STREET FLORAL**

557 Crescent, N.E.



Maris is helping Fred select a tuxedo for the Prom.

## **SHELDON TUXEDO RENTAL**

114 Sheldon, S.E.

## **REAGAN'S PHARMACY**

301 Michigan, N.E.

Linda is telling Susie that this is what they advertise on TV.



Margaret and Beth are getting ready for a special occasion.

## **ALEX BEAUTY SALON**

621 Michigan, N.E.



Eileen and Barb are looking at Jim's senior picture.

## ROBINSON PHOTO STUDIO

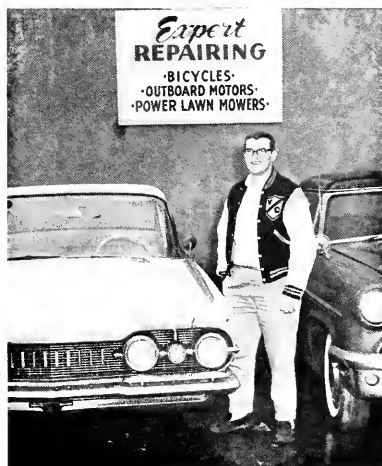
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Judy and Al are looking at suits to buy for Spring.

## BLANCHE LE BARON

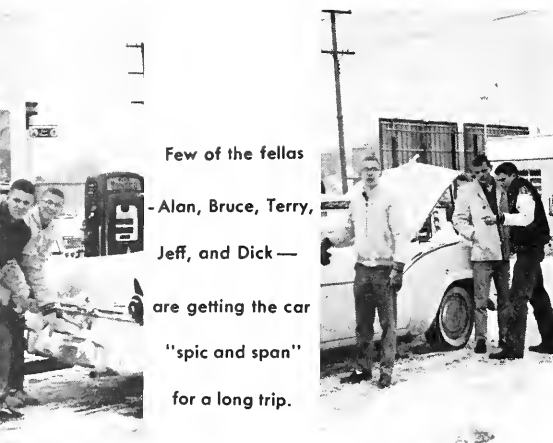
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Marcia and Sue are looking at the display of class rings that the students purchase.

## H. J. TERRYBERRY CO.

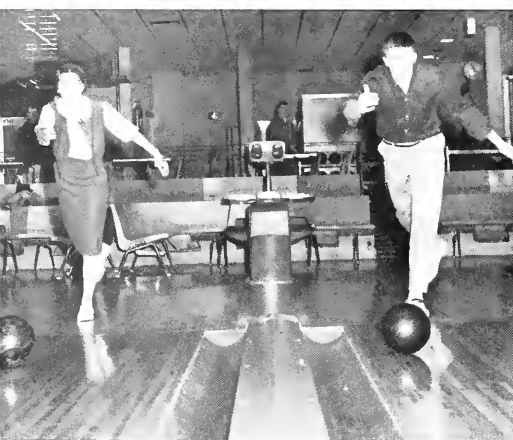
313 Allen, N.W.



Few of the fellas  
- Alan, Bruce, Terry,  
Jeff, and Dick —  
are getting the car  
"spic and span"  
for a long trip.

## KARP'S SUNOCO SERVICE

Fuller and Michigan



## CHASE LANES

1517 Michigan, N.E.

Leslie and Ron find bowling really  
a terrific form of recreation.



## THE CENTRAL TRADE PLANT

15 Lyon St., N.E.

Gail is looking at the machine from  
which our print type is produced.





Terri is checking the supplies of our store

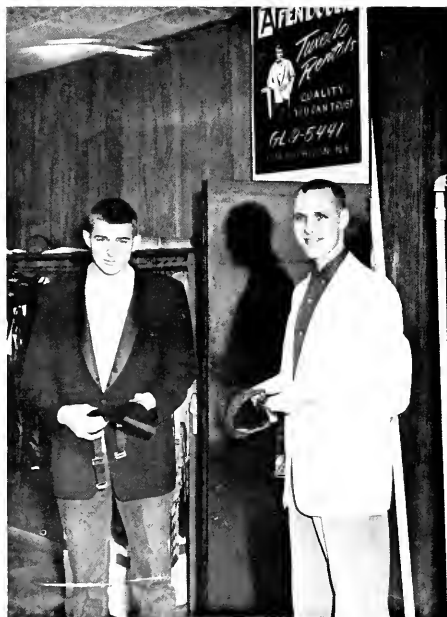
## THE SCHOOL BOOK STORE



Russ and Jim are selecting the appropriate tie for an important occasion.

### **LLOYD'S MEN'S STORE**

143 Ottawa, N.W.



Jim and Ken are trying to select the right tuxedo for the Prom.

### **AFENDOUS DRY CLEANERS**

1138 Michigan, N.E.

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